

DOLPHIN LOG

Collection, Years 1957 – 1961

**The Bulletin of the
Dolphin Swimming & Boating Club
San Francisco, Established 1877**



**Compiled and Contributed by
W. Walter Schneebeil**

**Dolphin Swimming & Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street
San Francisco, CA 94109**

April 2011



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING & BOATING CLUB
Edited by Roland Demarais

Volume 9, Number 7

August, 1957

San Francisco, Calif.



Just before the start of the Handicap Swim. Top Row: Mario Gueruara, John Boles, Wayne Alexander, Ed de Cossio, Harry Fields, Walt Schneebeli, Sal Cannizzaro, Vince Cannizzaro, Jim Vanya, Ted Monell. Bottom row: Joe Mares, Tom Troneum, Chet Wing, Joe Weiss, Frank Adams, Paul Silvester, Don Kane, Charlie Yaeger.

S.F. - SACRAMENTO ROW

Three stalwart Dolphins, Les Hendry, Ed de Cossio, Sr., and 17 year old Ed de Cossio, Jr., will embark from the Dolphin Club on a 105 mile row to Sacramento, Friday, August 30, in order to take in the State Fair.

Les will do the navigating and with the aid of his trusty compass and charts, he plans to arrive at the state capital September 1.

They will row the JAMES FARRELL, the 18 foot double seat pleasure boat. Stowed aboard will be sleeping bags, canned goods, water (just WATER, Les?) and changes of clothes.

When they arrive at Sacramento they will dine as guests of the Sacramento Yacht Club.

The itinerary is: Crockett, 3 p.m., Friday; Antioch, 6 p.m.; Rio Vista, noon, Saturday; Walnut Grove, 3 p.m., Sacramento, 7 p.m., Sunday.



ED De COSSIO WINS HANDICAP SWIM

Ed de Cossio won the three-quarter Handicap Swim at Aquatic Park on August 17 with an elapsed time of 35 minutes and 30 seconds. Don Kane, who gave a 24 minute and two seconds handicap, caught and passed the 18 other swimmers to take second place with the best elapsed time of 20 minutes and 46 seconds. The rugged Norwegian, Tom Troneum, clinched third place in 29:48

Dick Hackett, who came in fourth, had the second best elapsed time of 22:11. Dick was All-City free-style champ for Lowell in 1956 and will prove to be a leading contender in the Raccoon Straits and Golden Gate swims ahead.

64 year old Chet Wing gallantly brought up the rear with a time of one hour and 23 minutes.

Frank Adams handicapped the men on the basis of their past performances.

Places and elapsed times of other swimmers were:
5th-Ed Curtis, 31:26, 6th-Harry Fields, 28:35;

Cont'd. page 3



This lively group of lads from the Hanna Boys Center of Sonoma enjoyed a day of aquatic sports at the Club last August third. The boys stowed away platters of spaghetti and meat balls at lunch prepared by Charlie Yeager. Steve Gaal and Sal Sancimino generously picked up the tabs for the entree and ice cream respectively. Dolphin Jim Healy supervised the boys.

De COSSIO WINS HANDICAP (Continued)

7th-Frank Adams, 44:33; 8th-Paul Silvester, 35:29; 9th-Walt Schneebali, 33:00; 10th-Ted Monell, 34:39; 11th-Joe Bruno, 31:13; 12th-Sal Cannazzaro, 42:22; 13th-Wayne Alexander, 33:18; 14th-Joe Weiss, 35:46; 15th-Joe Mares, 39:42; 17th-Vince Cannazzaro, 34:08; 18th-Chet Wing, 1 hr. 23 min.; John Boles, 38:15 with fins.

Stan Rybicki served an excellent steak lunch to the natators. Stan mentioned that the response to the postal card reservation was very good. However, six members made reservations and did not attend; this is not fair to the other members when the affair is pro-rata. In the future, please DO NOT SIGN UP FOR A LUNCH OR DINNER UNLESS YOU ARE POSITIVE OF ATTENDING, or at least have the courtesy of telephoning the chairman.

LAKE MERCED BOATHOUSE CLEARED

Preliminary plans for the proposed \$350,000 boathouse and boating center at Lake Merced won approval of the Public Utilities Commission last week.

The Commission also endorsed the policy of the Water Department that there be no "bodily contact" with the water as the lake is a standby source of water for the city and must be kept pure.

The Dolphin Club will receive space in the new structure for the racing shells and training skiffs and fours. Rowing enthusiasts predict a bright future ahead for competitive rowing in this area.



While the boys were going through the initiation ritual, George Lockman caught this shot at the beach -- smart fellow, that George.

CONFIDENTIAL

If you have any scoop for the LOG - interesting trips, new promotion, new school, Athletic endeavors, marriage, births, etc., drop your editor a postal card. We will be glad to print it. Or phone WE 1-5998.

QUARTERLY DUES

Quarterly dues are now payable. Mail check with membership card to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan St.

WORK PARTIES TUESDAY NITES
Come down and join the gang!

AROUND THE COVE WITH DON KANE

In the recent Far Western Swimming Championships held at Fleishhacker Pool, several Dolphin Clubbers were giving their all together with top natators from Australia, Hawaii, and the ten western states. (See our next issue for results).

HANK FOURCADE, representing the Olympic Club, entered the 200 and 400 meter events plus anchoring the 800 meter free-style relay. RICHARD HACKETT, coached by life member CHARLIE SAVA under the Crystal Club colors, swam in the 100 meter free-style. DON KANE, also swimming for Crystal, entered the 100 meter and 200 meter breaststroke events. Don and Rich also swam in the 400 medley and the 800 meter free-style relays.

DID YOU KNOW THAT...DAVE BECHTEL, with the Coast Guard, and HECTOR VALENCIA, with the Air Force, are both working for the S. F. Recreation Dept. on week-ends as life guards...JERRY HAWRYLUK accompanied Myra Thomson, S.F. State co-ed, to Vancouver, B.C., to attain a victory in the professional swimmers Juan De Fuca Strait Swim. Myra outlasted 12 men and several women to claim the \$2,500 prize. She came the closest by swimming 17 of 18 1/2 miles in 16 1/2 hours. Jerry said he saw two killer whales in the vicinity. "They usually do not attack", says he....ED CURTIS won a recent Northern California Y.M.C.A. Sport-O-Rama Gymnastics championship representing the Central Y...AL GRAGNANI plays first base on the First Western Bank's softball team...CHARLIE SACKETT, novice handball champ, was All-City quarterback for Poly in 1952...Those professional signs you see around the Club are painted by Mario Guervars...BOB CAMPBELL received a summer scholarship at U.C., together with several other high school science teachers in the Bay Area to do graduate study in everything from calculus to nuclear physics...TOM TRONEUM should be presented a special sportsmanship award for his competitive enthusiasm and his work youth at Lake Merced together with his outstanding generosity. He has the true Dolphin Spirit.

RACCOON STRAITS SWIM SEPT. 14

Saturday, September 14, is the date of the annual 5/8 mile Raccoon Straits Swim.

Watch the bulletin Board for the exact jump-off time. Swimmers should plan to meet at the Corinthian Yacht Club, Tiburon, no later than 10 a.m.

The swim, which is a good test for the Golden Gate classic, can be made by a slow swimmer in about 30 minutes. The course is from Angel Island to Tiburon.

The beautiful setting of the Corinthian Yacht Club will be the scene of the buffet lunch for Dolphins and their guests after the swim. Price - \$1.75 per person. Reservations may be made by signing at the Club, or phoning Stan Rybicki - WA 1-4845.

TROPHIES PRESENTED HANDBALL CHAMPS

This story hasn't taken place as yet, but as we have a deadline to meet we will gaze into our crystal ball and tell you what took place at the Handball Awards Dinner at Toschi's Restaurant last August 26.

The athletes gathered about the oak plank about seven o'clock and Gus Gelardi and Rudy Capriotti were discussing the First Class championship doubles game with Ray Belluomini and Dino Landucci, Jr.... "You fellows played a great game, "Gus was saying, "With a little luck, you would have taken us."

After a delicious meal, chairman Nick Camarda introduced Tim O'Shea, who just recovered from a bout with the flu. Tim was warmly applauded for the excellent job he did in running the tourney.

The following were presented trophies: First Class champions, Gus Gelardi and Rudy Capriotti; runners-up, Ray Belluomini and Dino Landucci, Jr.; Second Class champions, Antone Gelardi and Lennie Gelardi; runners-up, Nick Camarda and Bob Demo; Novice Singles champion, Charles Sackett; runner-up, Dominic Tarantino.



"Now tell me why you have been such a naughty pollywog", asks "Queenie" Frank Mennucci at the Initiation, Paradise Cove, last month.

IN MEMORY OF

PAUL F. DEMARTINI

A Dolphin Member for 36 Years

TROPHIES

from one of America's finest selections

GRANAT BROS

Grant Avenue at Geary . San Francisco

MA 1 - 5488

NOBRO NOVELTY

DISTRIBUTORS OF COIN OPERATED MACHINES

JUKE BOXES -- PIN BALL GAMES

SHUFFLE ALLEYS - SHUFFLE BOARDS

CARL & JOE NOTO

142 DORE STREET

Buena vista cafe

2765 hyde street

san francisco, cal.

GRAYSTONE 4-5044

Modern House

Furniture
Complete Home Furnishings

UN 1-0988

3265 SIXTEENTH STREET • NEAR DOLORES

DOLPHIN SWIMMING & BOATING CLUB

502 JEFFERSON STREET

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

1957 SCHEDULE

August 30 to September 1
Row from San Francisco to
State Fair Sacramento
September 14, Saturday
Raccoon Straits Swim
September 29, Sunday
40th Annual Golden Gate Swim
October 13, Sunday
Columbus Day Aquacade, Aquatic Park
October 26, Saturday
Old Timers' Dinner at Club
December 15, Sunday
65th Annual Hike and Dip at Ocean
December 22, Sunday
Tom & Jerry Xmas Party at Club
December 31, Tuesday
New Year's Eve Party at Club
January 11, Saturday
Introduction Dinner at Club

LEO La ROCCA

VINCE La ROCCA



957 Columbus Ave.

PRospect 5-9860



CARDINAL ELECTRIC CO.

Everything Electrical for the Home

S.J. GAAL, JR.
JUNIPER 4-4688

199 BROAD STREET
SAN FRANCISCO 25, CALIF.

E MENNUCCI & SONS

*Fancy & Imported Groceries
Wine & Liquors*

1701 Greenwich

ORdway 3-6056

BULK RATE
U. S. POSTAGE
PAID

San Francisco, Calif.
Permit No. 5304

William Walter Schneebeli
2265-9th Ave.
San Francisco, Calif.

Form 3547 Requested



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING & BOATING CLUB
Edited by Roland Demarais

Volume 9, Number 8

September, 1957

San Francisco, Calif.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1957 40th ANNUAL DOLPHIN GOLDEN GATE SWIM

OFFICIALS OF THE DAY

Honorary Chairman:	JOSEPH KEENAN
Marshall of the Course:	LAWTON HUGHES
Starter:	STAN RYBICKI
Swimming Commissioner:	DON KANE
Chief Pilot:	GEORGE DeGEAR
Assistant Pilot:	LES HENDRY
Timer:	TIM O'SHEA
Timer:	GEORGE LINEER
Timer:	MERT KELLEHER
Timer:	MARION KANE
Judge:	ED OLSON
Judge:	CHARLES SAVA

COMMITTEES

Dolphin Hosts on Spectators' Boat:	CARL NOTO NICK CAMARDA
Publicity Committee:	ROLAND DEMARAIS DON KANE GEORGE LINEER
Supervisors of Swimmers:	DOMINIC ANZALONE JIM MORINO RAY MORINO JACK ROUSSEAU
Culinary Committee:	MARIO GUEVARA CHARLIE SACKETT CHARLIE YAEGER

LARGEST ENTRY IN CLUB HISTORY

This year's Dolphin Golden Gate Swim is probably the largest rough water swim held by any club in the U.S.A. Since the origin of the Gate Swim by the Dolphins in 1917 the entry list has grown larger and larger. Over 60 members are expected to make the crossing Sunday, September 29.

Don Kane, who established a club record of 19 minutes and 56 seconds last year is again the favorite. Can Bill McIvor regain his title and upset the odds? Hank Fourcade and Dick Hackett will prove serious threats also. Hank splashed across the Racoon straits 25 seconds behind Kane and Hackett was third, 15 seconds behind Fourcade.

Making their first Gate Swim will be Dick Hackett, Tom Rosen, Richard Bruhns, Bill Light, Leon Brumley, Jim Vanya, Charlie Sackett, Valdi Walter, Mario Guevara, Dr. Fred Howard, Pete Kruger, Frank Vitelli, Frank Mosian, Joell Morriss and Jack Grauss.

Swimmers will receive little help from the tide this year as they will swim on an ebb tide. Lawton Hughes, who knows every ripple and current at the Gate like the back of his hand, has set 9:45 A.M. as the jump-off.

Spectators may view the swim advantageously from a Harbor Tours boat which will start loading at Pier 43 1/2 at 8:45 A.M. Tickets, \$1.00 for adults and 50¢ for children will be sold at the boat.

After the Swim there will be dancing and the presentation of trophies.

TRIBUTE TO RYBICKI



Stan Rybicki

The success for the Gate Swim is largely due to our hustling Financial Secretary, Stan Rybicki.

Stan has solicited the trophies not a pleasant job perhaps, but a necessary one.

The arrangements for the spectators' boat, the swimmers' boat, and the liaison with the U. S. Coast Guard, are all made by Stan.

On any affair you will find Stan in the midst of the work -- be it club dinners, picnics or swims.

Stan, the 40TH ANNUAL GOLDEN GATE SWIM is dedicated to you!

SCHEDULE FOR GOLDEN GATE SWIM

7:30a.m.	All pilots to be at Club
8:15a.m.	All Swimmers to be at Club
8:45a.m.	Swimmers' boat will leave Pier 43
8:45a.m.	Spectator's boat will start loading at Pier 43 1/2. Tickets will be sold at boat. Adults \$1. Child- ren 50¢
9:00a.m.	Spectator boat will leave Pier 43 1/2.
9:45a.m.	Jump-off time at the Golden Gate Bridge
1:00p.m.	Dancing at the Club
3:00p.m.	Presentation of trophies at the Club



LAWTON HUGHES
Tide Expert

Meet the Gate Swimmers - A fine bunch of athletes!

By Don Kane, Swimming Commissioner

We are proud to introduce one of the largest groups of Dolphin Gate swimmers ever assembled. For some it's their 20th crossing, for others their first. Each will feel the anxious moments before the gun goes off. Each will feel the same thrill as he touches the Lime Rock finish.

1. WAYNE ALEXANDER, San Mateo fireman. Has made nine Gate swims.
2. DON BAGGIANI, Member of the Board of Directors and Past President. Has 16 Gates to his credit.
3. DAVE BECHTEL, Just out of the U.S. Coast Guard
4. STAN BENNESON, Usually places in the upper ten
5. JOHN BOLES, An active participant in all swims. Mrs. Boles is a most avid rooter.
6. LEON BRUMLEY, Interests are both sculling and swimming. Helps Tom Troneum and Harvey Murray keep Bethlehem Steel rolling.
7. JOE BRUNO, Veteran of 16 Gate swims. Known for his single over-arm stroke. Someday will surprise in extremely rough swim.
8. SAL CANNIZZARO, Known as the Club's greatest lover. Swims a very nice backstroke.
9. VINCE CANNIZZARO, Marriage seems to agree with this boy.
10. JOSEPH CARROLL, First swim for this new man
11. DON CLARK, making third swim
12. ED DE COSSIO, Winner of the Handicap Swim. Much improved over last year.
13. ALDO CUNEO, A great swimming enthusiast
14. ED CURTIS, An instructor of gymnastics at the Central YMCA. Member of the S.F. Police Dept.
15. BOB DEMO, Student at Cogswell College. All around athlete -- baseball, handball, rowing, and swimming.
16. DAVID DYC, Good-looking life guard and surfing.
17. GEORGE ESCOBAR, Has a collection of Gate Swim trophies from both the South End and Dolphin Club.
18. HARRY FIELDS, Attorney and author of a book on taxes and welfare plans. Also proud father of Robert.
19. HENRY FOURCADE, Placed fourth in 220 freestyle for Stanford in PCC Championships. Third in last year's Gate Swim.
20. JAY FRITZ, St. Ignatius student. Made All-City in lightweight swim division in 1956. All-City in varsity competition, 1957.
21. KENNETH GAAL, Freshman at Pacific Lutheran College in Washington. Will fly down to join his three brothers and Dad in the Swim.
22. PHIL GAAL, Senior at California with a civil engineering major
23. ROGER GAAL, Youngest of the clan. Studying engineering at Cogswell.
24. STEVE GAAL, JR., In third year of medical school at University of California
25. STEVE GAAL, SR., Papa of the Gaal clan
26. GENE GAYNER, CCSF student who enjoyed teaching the kids to swim at Camp Mather. All-City at Lincoln High in 1956.
27. LEONARD P. GELARDI, Rowed with the P.A.A.O. champion lightweight crew in 1949 and 1950.
28. MARIO GUEVARA, New member making first Gate Swim.
29. RICHARD HACKETT, Coached by Charlie Sava. Placed in YMCA in Tucson, Ariz. in 1956. Swam for Lowell High.
30. LEIF HATLEN, Sculling enthusiast. Washington High student.
31. JIM HEALY, Turns out regularly for the Gate Swim.
32. DR. FRED HOWARD, Joined the Club in May. First swim.
33. ELMER HUBACHER, Has made seven Gate swims. Sells Cadillacs.
34. BOB JOHNSON, Student at San Jose State.
35. DOM JULIO, Can't decide between handball or swimming.
36. DON KANE, Coached by Charlie Sava. Wife, the former Marion Olsen, was a national swim champ.
37. KEVIN KEITH, Student body yell leader at U.C.
38. PETE KRUGER, S.F. fireman who will make his first swim.
39. BILL LIGHT, Student body yell leader at Lincoln High and member of the swimming team.
40. JOE MARES, Runs a restaurant and owns an island in the Pacific. A good competitor.
41. ED MacKAY, Very strong swimmer. Also sells Cadillacs.
42. DR. BILL McIVOR, Doctor in residence at S.F. Hospital. Four times Gate winner.
43. PAUL MELEE, Recent graduate of U.C. Law School
44. TED MONELL, This man keeps in shape! A popular attorney with 22 Gate trophies on the shelf.
45. JOEL MORRISS, S.F. State swimmer. First swim.
46. JACK MOSIAN, New member. First swim.
47. BILL PERASSO, Just back from a stay with Uncle Sam in France. Aim: To beat Bob Johnson.
48. CHARLES PRUETT, Always places in the upper bracket of the Gate Swim.
49. CLIFF QUIST, Member of the Board. Is trying to preserve his youth.
50. TOM ROSEN, Student at Lincoln High and member of the varsity swimming team.
51. CHARLES SACKETT, Novice handball champ.
52. WALT SCHNEEBELI, Trains with Harry Fields. Collects fish for Steinhart Aquarium.
53. PAUL SILVESTER, Has made 21 Gate swims. Golf and fishing are other interests.
54. TOM TRONEUM, Rowing coach and former Pacific Coast sculling champ. Daughter Linda will reign as Queen of 1957 Gate Swim.
55. HECTOR VALENCIA, Member of the U.S. Air Force. Placed second in the Gate Swim in '54 & '55.
56. JAMES VANYA, Rowed in Yugoslavia. Swims for pleasure.
57. FRANK VITELLI, New member making his first swim.
58. VALDI WALTER, A 56-year old new member with plenty of spirit.
59. JOE WEISS, Keeps in wonderful shape by hunting, fishing, rowing and swimming.
60. VIC WINKEL, Will swim the Gate if he has recovered from the Asian flu. A sophomore at Cal and plays on the water polo team.
61. CHET WING, 65-year old member who swims it slow but always finishes.
62. CHARLIE YAEGER, Vice President of the Club and a great worker. One of the Club's most improved swimmers.

SWIMMERS WILL USE AS CAP NUMBERS THE NUMBERS WHICH APPEAR OPPOSITE THEIR NAMES IN THE DOLPHIN OFFICIAL PROGRAM

APPRECIATION

The Dolphin Club wishes to express its sincere appreciation and thanks to Mr. Thomas Crowley, Jr. for the services rendered by the Crowley Tug Boat Company for a swimming boat.

Our thanks also to the members of the Mariposa Boat Club who assisted in patrolling the course.

We also wish to offer our appreciation to the Commander of the U.S. Coast Guard and to Chief Boatswain Mate Edward Barr and his crew for their able and efficient assistance which contributes to the success of the swim.

No Golden Gate Swim could be successful without the generous assistance of the South End pilots patrolling the course and guiding our swimmers.

TROPHY DONORS

Buena Vista Cafe, Cincotta Hardware, John Duignan, Figoni Hardware, Granat Bros., Fort Mason Meat Market, Steve Gaal President's Trophy, Anita Day Hubbard, Joseph B. Keenan, Lawton Hughes, La Rocca and Sons, Hal Light, Joe Mares' Lambrose Restaurant, Modern House Furniture, Ted Monell, E. Mennucci and Sons, New Joe's, Mark Rodman, Stan J. Rybicki, Sal Sancimino-Swan Oyster Depot, San Francisco Rowing Club, Pat Schofield-Admiral Tavern, South End Rowing Club, Union Hardware Co., A. Valente and Sons, Chet Wing, Gould Wing Memorial Trophy, Russell Wolden Assessor's Trophy, Charles Yeager Trophy, Regal Pale Trophy. The Club wishes to thank the donors for their generosity in presenting all the beautiful trophies.

WINNERS OF FORMER GOLDEN GATE SWIMS

1917 Dr. Koch	1935 Dick Rittger
1918 Ben Derham	1936 John McManus
1919 Kewpie Kiernan	1937 Jack Reynolds
1920 No Swim	1938 Jack Reynolds
1921 Syd Foster	1939 Jack Reynolds
1922 Syd Foster	1940 Jack Reynolds
1923 Leo Purcell	1941 Jack Reynolds
1924 Syd Foster	1942-1945 No Swim
1925 Howard McGovern	1946 Jack Reynolds
1926 George McMillan	1947 Ray Carmassi
1927 Charles Sava	1948 Ray Carmassi
1928 Jack Sieber	1949 Ray Carmassi
1929 Bill Egan	1950 Ray Carmassi
1930 Bill Egan	1951 Ray Carmassi
1931 Buster Olds	1952 Bill McIvor
1932 Buster Olds	1953 Bill McIvor
1933 Buster Olds	1954 Bill McIvor
1934 John McManus	1955 Bill McIvor

1956 Don Kane

BROTHER, CAN YOU SPARE ONE HOUR?

It takes many hands doing various important tasks to make a successful Gate Swim. It will also take many hands to put the Club in shape in '58.

How about YOU, Brother Dolphin? It's a date any Tuesday night.

63. FRANK MENUCCI, Celebrates becoming a grandfather September 23rd.
64. ROLAND DEMARAIS, Swim number eight
65. RICHARD BRUHNS
66. LEONARD P. GELARDI, rowed with the P.A.A.O. lightweight crew in 1949 and 1950.
67. JACK GRAUSS, national pair oared champ with Con Finley in 1957, representing Washington Athletic Club. Competed in Olympics.
68. TERRY HAYES, member of Stanford swimming

RACCOON STRAITS SWIM RESULTS

Don Kane won the Club's annual Raccoon Strait's Swim two weeks ago with a time of 14 minutes and 25 seconds.

A total of 35 swimmers, a record entry, made the five-eighths mile crossing from Angel Island to Tiburon.

Stan Rybicki, with the help of his wife, Virginia, did a wonderful job and kept a cool head seating the 88 Dolphins and guests who attended the lunch at the Corinthian Yacht Club. Stan's task was made a little difficult because 35 persons only had made known their intentions to attend.

In order of finish times were:

	Min.	Sec.
1. Don Kane	14	25
2. Hank Fourcade	14	50
3. Richard Hackett	15	
4. Tom Rosen	17	18
5. Richard Bruhns	17	40
6. Jack Grauss	18	10
7. Gene Gaynor	18	15
8. Jay Fritz	18	40
9. Bob Demo	18	45
10. Bill Light	18	47
11. Vince Cannizzaro	18	48
12. Dave Bechtel	19	
13. Joe Bruno	19	40
14. Roger Gaal	19	45
15. Wayne Alexander	20	40
16. Ed Curtis	20	45
17. Tom Troneum	20	52
18. Phil Gaal	21	30
19. Leon Brumley	24	05
20. James Vanya	24	10
21. Dom Julio	25	45
22. Bob Johnson	25	50
23. Joe Mares	26	30
24. Bill Ferraso	26	45
25. Sal Cannizzaro	27	07
26. Charles Sackett	27	10
27. Valdi Walter	27	15
28. Ed deCossio	28	
29. Steve Gaal, Sr.	28	30
30. Leif Hatlen	32	05
31. Charles Yaeger	32	05
32. Don Baggiani	36	
33. Paul Melee	37	15
34. Mario Guevara	38	
35. John Boles	No time	



COLUMBUS DAY SWIM, SUN. OCT. 13

Dolphins, South Enders, and members of the S.F. Rowing Club have been invited to stage another tri-club swim by the Columbus Day committee Sunday, October 13, at Aquatic Park.

The three-quarter mile swim will start at 12 noon. Perhaps this can be called a "Swim For Fun Day", as no team trophy will be presented. Rather, three trophies will be awarded for first, second, and third place and medals for all finishers.

Paddleboard and sculling races will follow the swim.

There will also be a 500 yard women's swim. Let's all get the sign-up going now!

TROPHIES

from one of America's finest selections

GRANAT BROS

Grant Avenue at Geary . San Francisco

MA 1 - 5488

NOBRO NOVELTY

DISTRIBUTORS OF COIN OPERATED MACHINES

JUKE BOXES -- PIN BALL GAMES
SHUFFLE ALLEYS - SHUFFLE BOARDS

CARL & JOE NOTO

142 DORE STREET

Buena vista cafe

2765 hyde street
san francisco, cal.
Graystone 4-5044

Modern House

Furniture
Complete Home Furnishings

UN 1-0988

3265 SIXTEENTH STREET • NEAR DOLORES

LEO La ROCCA

VINCE La ROCCA



La Rocca's Corner

957 Columbus Ave.

PRospect 5-9860



CARDINAL ELECTRIC CO.

Everything Electrical for the Home

S. J. GAAL, JR.
JUNIPER 4-4688

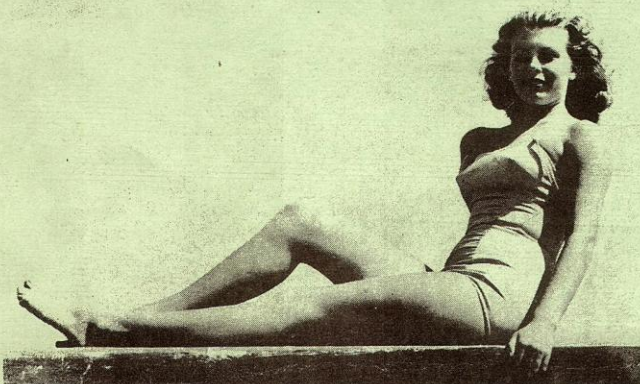
199 BROAD STREET
SAN FRANCISCO 25, CALIF.

E MENNUCCI & SONS

*Fancy & Imported Groceries
Wine & Liquors*

1701 Greenwich

ORdway 3-6056



MISS GOLDEN GATE SWIM -- We are please to introduce MISS LINDA TRONEUM, lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Troneum, as "Miss Dolphin Golden Gate Swim." Linda is sixteen and a Junior at Lincoln High, prep school of several of our Gate Swimmers.



William Walter Schneebeil
2265-9th Ave.
San Francisco, Calif.



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING & BOATING CLUB
Edited by Roland Demarais

Volume 9, Number 9

October 1957

San Francisco, Calif.

ANNUAL OLD TIMERS' DINNER, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16

ELECTION OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE WEDNESDAY — NOVEMBER 20th, 8 P.M.

The general membership is urged to attend the meeting, Wednesday, November 20th, 8 P.M., for the election of the Nominating Committee.

The Club Constitution reads as follows:

Article VI. Section 6. A committee of five members elected by the Club one month previous to the election of officers, shall constitute a Nominating Committee in this Constitution and By-Laws and the above mentioned committee shall send by mail, through the secretary, to each member the list of officers nominated by them, at least three weeks previous to the annual meeting.

Section 7. The ticket submitted by the committee shall be known as the Regular Ticket.

Section 8. Any ten (10) members in good standing shall have the power to and may, offer a ticket or tickets in opposition, provided they file the same with the secretary at least two (2) weeks previous to the election and a copy of which shall also be mailed to each member with the meeting notice by the secretary with the names of the sponsors.

Completing their 1957 terms are:

President — Steve Gaal.

Vice President — Charlie Yeager.

Treasurer — Frank Mennucci.

Financial Secretary — Stan Rybicki.

Captain — Les Hendry.

Recording Secretary — Don Kane.

Director — Carl Noto.

Director — Cliff Quist.

Don Baggiani, Tim O'Shea and Roland Demarais complete the Board of Directors, and have another year to serve.

HIKE AND DIP PLANS SET

At the last meeting of the Board of Directors, plans were set in motion to guarantee a large turnout for this year's 65th Annual Hike and Dip at the Ocean Beach.

This year a brunch will be served following the dip at the Cliff House, instead of the usual breakfast.

Local television newscasters will be alerted for the event — don't crowd the camera boys.

FRANK MENNUCCI TO BE CHEF

The call has been sent out by Chairman Bud Sterling to the Club's 69 Life Members to attend the Annual Old Timers Dinner, Saturday, November 16th (note the change of date), at the Club.

Many yarns of the "good old days" will be swapped as the members start to gather for pre-prandial refreshments at 6:30. Some will recall how Jimmy Cronin, after a day of crabbing, outwitted the fish and game warden by carrying a package of dirty laundry out of the Club; after the package was duly inspected Jimmy doubled back after the crab. Others will remember the cold showers, when the Club was located at the Foot of Van Ness Street, and the smooth protected water in that area. Some will cite the rugged initiations at Paradise Cove, when it was rather difficult to determine who was being initiated, the regular members or the neophytes.

And as the stories are traded, perhaps many of the oldsters will notice appreciatively the fine group of young members who have recently joined the Club, and will feel secure in the knowledge that the Dolphin spirit (never as rugged, they will think) and athletic tradition will still carry on.

MEMBERSHIP OF 45 YEARS AND OVER

Joseph Keenan, with 65 years' membership, will receive recognition as the oldest Dolphin. Others to be honored for 45 years or more of membership include: Dr. A. W. Ward, 53 years; Dave Crowley, 50 years; Hector Giuntini, 48 years; Jerome White, 48 years; Romeo Rocca, 48 years; Frank Bordenave, 47 years; Ralph Mackay, 47 years; Bill Giovannoni, Sr., 46 years; Willis Brinker, 45 years; and Dr. Guido Perra, 45 years.

A Life Membership certificate will be conferred upon Gino Lucchesi, who has completed his 25 years of membership.

Frank Mennucci and his crew will prepare a super dinner with roast chicken as the entree. Frank will only order the amount of chicken he has reservations for — no reservation, no dinner. Please don't make a reservation and fail to attend without a notification. Reservations will close November 14th. Tariff — \$2.50.

Nick Carmada, who will serve as entertainment chairman, has surprises in store.

QUARTERLY DUES

Quarterly dues are now payable. Mail check with membership card to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street. Members are automatically dropped if delinquent \$18.75.



On board the Crowley Tug "SEA QUEEN", 55 Dolphins, largest Golden Gate Swim entry in the Club's history, pose just before the big splash last October 3rd.

RESULTS OF THE 40TH ANNUAL GOLDEN GATE SWIM

1st	Don Kane	31:58	36th	Paul Melee	69:24
2nd	Hank Fourcade	34:33	37th	Paul Silvester	69:57
3rd	Dr. Bill McIvor	36:59	38th	Aldo Cuneo	71:47
4th	Jay Fritz	39:12	39th	Charles Sackett	72:24
5th	Richard Hackett	39:15	40th	Frank Mennucci	72:53
6th	Hector Valencia	39:59	41st	Don Baggiani	73:19
7th	Tom Rosen	40:51	42nd	Steve Gaal	77:30
8th	Gene Gaynor	41:30	43rd	Roland Demarais	78:12
9th	Jack Grauss	42:17	44th	Joe Weiss	78:18
10th	Bob Demo	42:36	45th	Ed deCossio	79:49
11th	Harry Fields	43:07	46th	Frank Vitelli	81:29
12th	Joel Morriss	44:43	47th	Dr. Fred Howard	1 hour, 45 min.
13th	Richard Bruhns	45:20	48th	Lief Hatlen	1 hour, 50 min.
14th	Joe Bruno	46:58	49th	George Escobar	2 hrs., 8 min.
15th	Ed Curtis	47:53	50th	John Boles (with fins)	69:26
16th	Dave Bechtel	48:54	Very close to finish:		
17th	Tom Troneum	51:06	Leonard J. Gelardi		
18th	David Dyc	53:04	Mario Guevara		
19th	Roger Gaal	53:54	Bill Perasso		
20th	Bill Light	54:12	Charlie Yeager		
21st	James Vanya	55:08	Jack Mosian		
22nd	Don Clark	56:16			
23rd	Walt Schneebeli	56:25			
24th	Leon Brumley	57:33			
25th	Dom Julio	58:34			
26th	Bob Johnson	59:10			
27th	Joe Mares	60:42			
28th	Steve Gaal III	60:47			
29th	Valdi Walter	62:40			
30th	Wayne Alexander	63:16			
31st	Ted Monell	65:23			
32nd	Leonard P. Gelardi	65:55			
33rd	Pete Kruger	66:57			
34th	Sal Cannazzaro	67:53			
35th	Phil Gaal	68:53			

SWEAT SHIRTS

This young lad purchased his Dolphin sweat shirt at Hirsch and Price, 138 Kearny Street, which carries the official Club supply. The youngster's name? . . . Peter Demarais.



WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor

Can you beat this for fishing? WALTER, "Bring 'Em Back Alive", SCHNEEBELI recently collected for the Steinhart Aquarium 84 specimen of fish from Tacoma, Washington. His catch included the rarely seen grunt fish, sailor fish, and convict fish, as well as the more prosaic ling cod, rock-fish and sole.

Because of his alertness, Airman HECTOR VALEN-CIA saved 10-year-old Gary Miles from drowning at the North Beach Playground pool last October 13th. Hector spotted Gary lying unconscious at the bottom of the pool and brought him to the surface, where he was restored by artificial respiration.

Congratulations to GUIDO and JEANNE GHIGLIERI on the birth of their son, Michael; 8 pounds, last October 7th.

Every Gate swimmer signed the "get well" card for CHET WING when we learned of his confinement at St. Francis Hospital. We are pleased to report Chet has been released and is doing fine.

Two proud grandfathers, FRANK MENNUCCI and MERT KELLEHER, are strutting around the Club these days. Frank can boast of his granddaughter, Maria De Santis, and Mert can brag about his new grandson, Sean Kelleher.

LAWTON HUGHES has recently been promoted head of the electronic department at P.G. & E.

Did you catch the televised newscast on Channel 5 on the late news after the Gate swim, and on the following Monday morning?

NEWS is wanted! Keep sending those items in, and we will print it.

COLUMBUS DAY SWIM WON

BY S.F.R.C.'S CRAIG

Bill Craig of the San Francisco Rowing Club won the three-quarter mile Columbus Day Swim, Sunday, October 13th, at Aquatic Park, in 21 minutes, 34 seconds.

With many of our top swimmers restricted by an A.A.U. ruling, the best we could capture was a fifth place by Harry Fields, whose time was 27:28.

Times and places of other Dolphins: 7th, Gene Gaynor, 29:17; 9th, Jim Vanya, 30:00; 10th, Tom Troneum, 31:10; tied for 10th, Wayne Alexander, 31:10; 11th, Ed Curtis, 32:58; 12th, Richard Bruhns, 34:09; 13th, Roger Gaal, 34:11; 15th, Phil Gaal, 34:48; 16th, Joe Mares, 34:50; 17th, Steve Gaal III, 38:39; 18th, Aldo Cuneo, 40:32; 20th, Voldi Walter, 43:50; 21st, Dr. Fred Howard, 47:50.

Barbara Holland, 13-year-old S.F.R.C. swimmer, won the women's 500-yard event.

Dave Dyc took the 500-yard paddle board event in 6:11.

COMMITTEES SERVE WELL

Among the many who helped contribute to the success of the Gate Swim were Mrs. Schofield and Mrs. Kelleher who did an excellent job in the galley; Carl Luders, who fixed the hawser; Carl Noto on the spectator's boat and Nick Camarda, who emceed; George DeGear, who worked so diligently with the pilot boats; Don Baggiani, Mert Kelleher, Scotty Tarantino and Bud Sterling, who worked behind the bar; and Ray Morino, Dominic Anzalone and Jack Russo, who served on the swimmer's boat.

HANDBALL CHAMPIONS RECEIVE TROPHIES



These are the handball champs presented trophies at a recent dinner held at Toschi's Restaurant. Top row: Gus Gelardi, 1st class doubles champ; Ed Giovannoni, 3rd class singles champ; Tito Scarpa, 1st class singles champ; Tim O'Shea, Handball Commissioner; Dino Landucci, Jr., 1st class doubles runner-up; Ray Belluomini, 1st class doubles runner-up. Second row: Antone Gelardi, 2nd class doubles champ; Charles Sackett, novice singles champ; Don Baggiani, 1st class singles runner-up; Leonard J. Gelardi, 2nd class doubles champ, Frank Passantino, 2nd class singles champ. Bottom row: Dom Tarantino, novice singles runner-up; Rudy Capriotti, 1st class doubles champ; Leo LaRocca, 2nd class singles runner-up.



AROUND THE COVE WITH DON KANE

One of the biggest surprises of the 1957 Golden Gate Swim was, in the writer's opinion, Jay Fritz's fourth place and Frank Mennucci's 42nd place. It wasn't too long ago that Frank learned to swim at the old Crystal Plunge. Frank placed ahead of such stalwarts as Weiss, deCossio (Ed is out to beat Frank next year), and Baggiani.

Some were disappointed at Dick Hackett's showing, but when you consider it takes one year's experience in rough water before you can really show your stuff, Dick's fifth place was quite an accomplishment.

Other swimmers, or what some might call old timers, that performed well, were Harry Fields, 11th; Joe Bruno, 15th; Ed Curtis, 16th; Tom Troneum, 18th; and Dom Julio, 26th.

Among the crew cuts that showed improvement over previous performances were Dave Dyc, 19th, and Don Clark, 23rd. The latter, I believe, showing the greatest improvement.



TROPHIES

from one of America's finest selections

GRANAT BROS

Grant Avenue at Geary . San Francisco

MA 1 - 5438

NOBRO NOVELTY

DISTRIBUTORS OF COIN OPERATED MACHINES

JUKE BOXES -:- PIN BALL GAMES

SHUFFLE ALLEYS - SHUFFLE BOARDS

CARL & JOE NOTO

142 DORE STREET

Buena vista cafe

2765 hyde street
san francisco, cal.
Graystone 4-5044

Modern House

Furniture
Complete Home Furnishings

UN 1-0988

3265 SIXTEENTH STREET • NEAR DOLORES

LEO La ROCCA

VINCE La ROCCA



La Rocca's Corner

957 Columbus Ave.

PRospect 5-9860



CARDINAL ELECTRIC CO.

Everything Electrical for the Home

S.J. GAAL, JR.
JUNIPER 4-4688

199 BROAD STREET
SAN FRANCISCO 25, CALIF.

E MENNUCCI & SONS

*Fancy & Imported Groceries
Wine & Liqueurs*

1701 Greenwich

ORdway 3-6056

DOLPHIN SWIMMING & BOATING CLUB

502 JEFFERSON STREET
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA



Allan Cole, Hermie King and Ronny Draper, currently appearing at Bimbo's, will headline the entertainment at the Dolphin Club's Old Timers' Night, November 16th.

BULK RATE
U. S. POSTAGE
PAID
San Francisco, Calif.
Permit No. 5304

William Walter Schneebeli
2265-9th Ave.
San Francisco, Calif.

Form 3547 Requested



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING & BOATING CLUB
Edited by Roland Demarais

VOLUME 9, NUMBER 10

NOVEMBER 1957

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

OCEAN HIKE AND DIP, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16TH



Seven of the Old Timers who were honored for their 45 years or more of membership at the dinner were: Standing: Dr. Guido Perra, 45 years; Dr. A. W. Ward, 53 years; Frank Bordenave, 47 years. Directly in front: Ralph Mackay, 47 years; Bill Giovannoni, Sr., 46 years; Henry Kanter, 47 years. Seated in front: Joseph Keenan, the oldest member, 65 years.

REGULAR TICKET PRESENTED

At this month's general meeting the membership selected as the Nominating Committee, Tim O'Shea, Lawton Hughes, Carl Noto, Stan Rybicki, and Roland Demarais. This committee met and placed the following men on the Regular Ticket:

President Charlie Yeager
Vice President Carl Noto
Treasurer Frank Mennucci
Financial Secretary Stan Rybicki
Captain Charles Sackett
Recording Secretary Nick Camarda
Director Lawton Hughes
Director Tom Troneum

Section 8 of the Constitution reads as follows: "Any ten (10) members in good standing shall have the power to and may, offer a ticket or tickets in opposition, provided they file the same with the secretary at least two (2) weeks previous to the election and a copy of which shall also be mailed to each member with the meeting notice by the secretary with the names of the sponsors."

The election and annual meeting will be held Wednesday, December 11th, 8:00 P.M.

OLD TIMERS ENJOY DINNER

Over 100 members attended the Old Timers Dinner two weeks ago, making it one of the outstanding events on this year's calendar.

Frank Mennucci headed the galley crew, with Louie Castellacci doing the cooking and Charlie Yeager assisting.

Bud Sterling did an excellent job rounding up the Old Timers, as well as emceeing. Scotty Tarantino and Don Baggiani did yeoman work behind the plank. Julius

CLIFF HOUSE BRUNCH

Stan Rybicki will chairman this year's 65th Annual Ocean Hike and Dip with a brunch to follow at the Cliff House, Sunday, December 16th. The brunch is something new, and more details will be out soon. However, it would be wise to make your reservations early with Stan, for seating capacity will be limited.

The hike will start at 9:00 A.M. sharp at the Clubhouse. Wear your Dolphin sweat shirt and swim trunks. We will take the seven-mile jaunt along Marina Boulevard, over the bridge approach, through the Presidio, along Lincoln Golf Course and down to the Ocean Beach.

Then into the cold briny, where we dunk Steve Gaal, the out-going Prexy, and Charlie Yeager, the in-coming President.

Local television stations and press photographers will be alerted to record the chilling affair. Let's go, Gate swimmers, and all you camera-shy Dolphins. It's a date — Sunday, December 16th!

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

We are happy to welcome five new Dolphins into the Club.

TOUFIE BLAKE is an accomplished long distance swimmer who swam the English Channel twice in 1953 and once in 1954. Toufie has also negotiated a 35-mile swim down the Nile River to Cairo, and has swum the 22 miles separating Napoli from the Isle of Capri.

WILLIAM BISARDO is a young student from Sacred Heart High School who is interested in swimming.

EUGENE MESSERSCHMIDT is a San Francisco Police Officer who will be showing his stuff on the handball court.

HARRY HONAKER is on the Capuchino High School swimming team down in San Bruno. Harry also participates in water polo, and swims for Crystals.

JOE FLAHAVAN is a life guard at the new Rossi Pool.

TIM O'SHEA CALLS WORK PARTY, DECEMBER 7TH-8TH

Tim O'Shea has called a work party for washing and painting the handball court for Saturday and Sunday, December 7th and 8th, at 9:00 A.M.

Mert Kelleher, Ray Belluomini, Don Baggiani, Leo LaRocca, and Frank Passantino have already signed on. More hands are needed.

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor

First, to square away a couple of errors that crept into the last issue. We apologize for omitting the

Ralph Mackay, 47 years; Bill Giovannoni, Sr., 46 years; Henry Kanter, 47 years. Seated in front: Joseph Keenan, the oldest member, 65 years.

REGULAR TICKET PRESENTED

At this month's general meeting the membership selected as the Nominating Committee, Tim O'Shea, Lawton Hughes, Carl Noto, Stan Rybicki, and Roland Demarais. This committee met and placed the following men on the Regular Ticket:

President Charlie Yeager
Vice President Carl Noto
Treasurer Frank Mennucci
Financial Secretary Stan Rybicki
Captain Charles Sackett
Recording Secretary Nick Camarda
Director Lawton Hughes
Director Tom Troneum

Section 8 of the Constitution reads as follows: "Any ten (10) members in good standing shall have the power to and may, offer a ticket or tickets in opposition, provided they file the same with the secretary at least two (2) weeks previous to the election and a copy of which shall also be mailed to each member with the meeting notice by the secretary with the names of the sponsors."

The election and annual meeting will be held Wednesday, December 11th, 8:00 P.M.

OLD TIMERS ENJOY DINNER

Over 100 members attended the Old Timers Dinner two weeks ago, making it one of the outstanding events on this year's calendar.

Frank Mennucci headed the galley crew, with Louie Castellacci doing the cooking and Charlie Yeager assisting.

Bud Sterling did an excellent job rounding up the Old Timers, as well as emceeing. Scotty Tarantino and Don Baggiani did yeoman work behind the plank. Julius Chicca worked on the reservation list, and was assisted by Carl Noto.

Nick Camarda put the show on the road by introducing the top talent from the 365 Club, Hermie King, Ronnie Draper, and Allan Cole. Jackie LaRocca did his usual terrific job on the accordion.

Voices rang out loud and true to the theme, "Old Dolphins Never Die", as the gang was accompanied by another fine accordionist, Jack Robanser.

Dave Nelson, assistant to the president of the San Francisco Maritime Museum Commission, addressed the members and assured the Club that its interests would be protected in the plans for the future development of Aquatic Park.

a date — Sunday, December 10th

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

We are happy to welcome five new Dolphins into the Club.

TOUFIE BLAKE is an accomplished long distance swimmer who swam the English Channel twice in 1953 and once in 1954. Toufie has also negotiated a 35-mile swim down the Nile River to Cairo, and has swum the 22 miles separating Napoli from the Isle of Capri.

WILLIAM BISARDO is a young student from Sacred Heart High School who is interested in swimming.

EUGENE MESSERSCHMIDT is a San Francisco Police Officer who will be showing his stuff on the handball court.

HARRY HONAKER is on the Capuchino High School swimming team down in San Bruno. Harry also participates in water polo, and swims for Crystals.

JOE FLAHAVAN is a life guard at the new Rossi Pool.

TIM O'SHEA CALLS WORK PARTY, DECEMBER 7TH-8TH

Tim O'Shea has called a work party for washing and painting the handball court for Saturday and Sunday, December 7th and 8th, at 9:00 A.M.

Mert Kelleher, Ray Belluomini, Don Baggiani, Leo LaRocca, and Frank Passantino have already signed on. More hands are needed.

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor

First, to square away a couple of errors that crept into the last issue. We apologize for omitting the names of MRS. JOHN BOLES and MRS. CHARLES STERLING, who did such a fine job in the galley during the last Gate Swim... and FRANK MENNUCCI'S granddaughter's name is FRANCESCA MARIA DE SANTIS.

The stork will be on the wing late next spring for BOB and CLARICE NIELSEN and HARRY and JOAN FIELDS.

A SOCIAL MUST!!

THE TOM & JERRY PARTY AT THE CLUB

Sunday, December 22nd — 2:00 to 5:00 P.M.



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING & BOATING CLUB
Edited by Roland Demarais

VOLUME 9, NUMBER 11

NEW YEAR EDITION, 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

RAY MORINO "DOLPHIN OF THE YEAR"



Ray Morino was presented the Anita Day Hubbard "Dolphin of the Year" award at the Cliff House brunch following the Hike and Dip.

Perhaps the award could be called "Dolphin of the Years" for Ray has coxswained lightweight and senior four-oared shell crews from 1948 to 1952

and has had an enviable record of six championships to his credit. The 145-pound lightweight crews won Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen titles in '49 and '50. The senior crews won four P.A.A.O. championships from 1949 to 1952.

Many a blustery night Ray spent with the crews off old Pier 54 training quarters and at Lake Merced. Many an hour Ray has spent tingling boats.

Lawton Hughes paid the following tribute to Ray, "In my 40 years experience in rowing at the Club, with such great coxswains as Jerry Coniff and Johnny Cahill, Ray Morino ranks up there with the tops."

HANDBALL COURT CLEANED AND PAINTED

By Tim O'Shea

Eighteen Dolphins turned out for our work party on Saturday, December 7th, and Sunday, December 8th. As stated in the last issue of the Log, the work party was called to clean and paint the handball court.

The majority of our work party consisted of members who are active participants or who show an interest in the game of handball. But there were others who never play the game, but were willing to pitch in and give their brother Dolphins a helping hand. For example, Dick Schroeder came up from his home in Brisbane early Saturday morning and worked all day in helping to clean the court in preparation for the paint job.

Members who wielded sponge and brush included: Don Baggiani, Ray Belluomini, Jr., Nick Camarda, George DeGear, Roland Demarais, Ed Giovannoni, Mario Guevara, Lawton Hughes, Mert Kelleher, John McCartney, Frank Mennucci, Bil Perasso, Iggy Pasantino, Stan Rybicki, Charlie Sackett, Dick Schroeder, Pat Schofield, Bud Sterling, and Tim O'Shea.

To all who participated in our work party, I offer you my sincere thanks. It is a job well done.

HIKE AND DIP MADE BY RUGGED 20

Twenty Dolphins rolled out of their warm beds Sunday, December 15th, to continue the oldest tradition in the Club — the 65th Annual Ocean Hike and Dip. 280 other members heard the cold rain pelt the sidewalk and turned over in their sacks for more shuteye.

Steve Gaal, out-going Prexy, carried the Dolphin sign along the seven-mile route, and was rewarded for his efforts with a cold dunking in the Pacific. Charlie Yeager, in-coming President, received the same treatment.

After the dip members joined their wives and friends at the Cliff House for brunch.

Stan Rybicki emceed the affair, and Nick Carmada chairmanned the entertainment. Nick and Charlie Sackett had the gang in stitches with their blackface routine. The "champ", alias Lennie Gelardi, wearing his robe and band aids, had them all rocking with his punchy interview with Nick. Leo LaRocca brought along his guitar and accompanied Nick in several songs.

Hats off to the rugged twenty who made the dip: Steve Gaal, Charlie Yeager, Frank Mennucci, Stan Rybicki, Carl Noto, Mert Kelleher, George DeGear, Charles Sackett, Jack Mozian, John McCartney, Joe Weiss, Roger Gaal, Phil Gaal, Gene Gayner, Mario Guevara, Dino Landucci, Sr., Bud Sterling (see, he's not a phoney!), John Sargis, Ed Dollard, and Tim O'Shea.

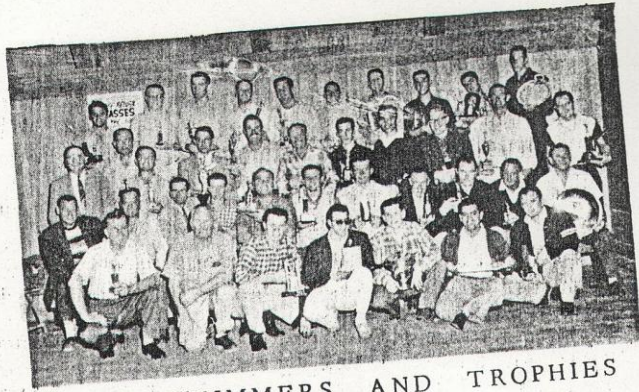
George Lineer and Syd Russell, together with their cameramen, braved the rain to get stories and pictures for the Chronicle and Examiner.

CLUB MEMBERSHIP AT ALL-TIME HIGH

As the Dolphin membership approaches the 300 mark we find our roll at an all-time high. Certainly this augurs a wonderful future for all Club activities in 1958. The membership count reads:

190	regular members
29	out-of-town members
11	military leave
3	leave of absence
66	life members
299	Total

IN MEMORY OF HENRY PERRY
31 YEARS A DOLPHIN MEMBER



GATE SWIMMERS AND TROPHIES



OLD TIMERS DINNER

8 Sec. I—S.F. Examiner Monday, Dec. 16, 1957 ★ CDOCH



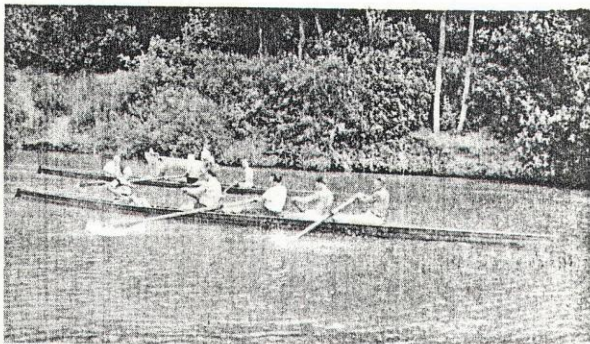
DOLPHIN CLUB PLUNGE



GUERNEVILLE BELLES



HANNA BOYS CLUB



4-OARED BARGE RACE



MISS GOLDEN GATE SWIM, 1957

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM The Editor

Anyone want to get in on the ground floor? GEORGE LOCKMAN has recently opened his Grizzly Mining Co. in Esmeralda County, Nevada. The ore assays aluminum, silica, potash, and volcanic ash. George will offer ten shares to anyone who can find a commercial use for the diggings.

Nice to see GREG DE GEAR at the Tom & Jerry Party. Pfc. DeGear flew in after a recent bout in surgery at the Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D.C.

It will be stork-time for JIM and SOPHIA KRELING early next summer.

It will be mighty quiet around the locker room the next few weeks. . . ED DE COSSIO and his son are flying to Lima, Peru for a vacation.

We need personal items for this column. How about it? Drop us a post card in care of the Club.

A NEW YEAR'S GREETING

A very Happy New Year from all the Dolphins to all the boys in the service, wherever you may be:

David R. Bechtel	Michael Perryman
Alfred J. Chelini	Ronald J. Pimental
Eugene J. Chelini	Gilbert Sciaqua
Gordon F. Costa	Gregory C. Tilden
Gregg DeGear	Hector Valencia
Kevin M. Keith	

If the parents of the above boys will forward their military addresses to Stan Rybicki, we will see that they receive their Club mail.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY SOLD OUT

The New Year Party at the Club will be history by the time this Log reaches the members. but we can report at this instance the tickets are sold out.

Tickets were limited to 100 couples, and were priced at \$8.00 per person.

Nick Carmada has worked very diligently to make the affair a big success.

CLUB DIRECTORY TO BE PUBLISHED

In order to help compensate for printing the Log and other Club mailing, it occurred to us we might publish a "BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY" and a LIFE MEMBERSHIP LISTING.

We believe that the Log and other Club notices are vital to the Club. However, printing costs ran well over the \$900 mark in 1957. So, we are calling upon your assistance in compiling a DIRECTORY and LIFE MEMBERSHIP LISTING. Whether you are a doctor, lawyer, merchant, or Indian chief, you are invited to place your

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

Tom Troneum sponsored two 20-year-old new members, both of whom are prospective oarsmen. Welcome aboard, THEODORE LAMBERTSON and RONALD RAETA.

John Higley introduced DOMINIQUE ETCHETO into the Dolphin ranks. Dom is interested in handball.

Charlie Yeager, assisted by Frank Mennucci, mixed some very tasty Tom & Jerrys at the recent Christmas Party at the Club.

Among those in attendance were: Mr. & Mrs. Walter Smith, Mr. & Mrs. Ed Balthasar, Mr. & Mrs. Tom Troneum, Mr. & Mrs. Lawton Hughes, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Nielsen, Mr. & Mrs. Roland DeMarais, Joe Giovannoni, Sal Cannizzaro, Joe Weiss, Greg DeGear, George DeGear, John McCartney, and Lennie Gelardi.

1957, A GOOD YEAR

1957 was a year of accomplishment in the Club. We improved much of our equipment, maintained a full social calendar, and had good turn-outs for most of our athletic events. Some of the highlights include:

- ☉ All pleasure boats put in rowing condition
- ☉ Wieland Benefit Dance well supported
- ☉ Major inside repairs completed on John Wieland
- ☉ Boatshed constructed
- ☉ Toolroom built
- ☉ Handball court cleaned and painted
- ☉ Largest turn-out in history for Golden Gate Swim
- ☉ First telecast of Golden Gate Swim
- ☉ Very low percentage of delinquencies;
- ☉ All-time high membership.

1958 OFFICERS

President Charlie Yeager
Vice-President Carl Noto
Financial Secretary Stan Rybicki
Treasurer Frank Mennucci
Captain Charlie Sackett
Recording Secretary Nick Carmada
Directors . Don Baggiani, Roland Demarais,
Lawton Hughes, Tim O'Shea, Tom Troneum

name in the "BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY". If you are a Life Member and would still like to support the Dolphin Club, you can place your name in the LIFE MEMBERSHIP LISTING, together with the date you joined the Club.

The rate will be \$8.00 per year for the DIRECTORY and \$5.00 a year for the LIFE MEMBERSHIP LISTING. Large ads sell for \$15.00.

Please mail the coupon below, together with your check, to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY:

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____

Business Address _____

Business or Profession _____

Name of Company _____

Business Phone _____

LIFE MEMBERSHIP LISTING:

Name _____

Year Entered Club _____



DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 10, NUMBER 1

JANUARY, 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF

Installation Dinner Dance, Saturday, February 22

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Brother Dolphins,

Here we are with another year in which to make more Dolphin history. Your governing officers are predominately experienced men. Dues are inexpensive. Club improvements are continually going on. The treasury shows gain. Swimming events are growing annually, as is handball. New and interesting occasions are being planned, attendance and participation of which will be your gain.

Boating and Rowing: Here we have a problem. We are called a Swimming and Boating Club. If we are not careful, we will be out of the boating business. We all know some of the reasons rowing has fallen off. We are working to return rowing (especially pleasure rowing on the Bay) to its past position in Club activities.

Lawton Hughes and Tom Troneum, to name two who are concerned, are continually pressing every advantage to gain a more favorable Club site. Last year much work was accomplished on boat upkeep, a part of it expensive professional work. The "Wieland" will be in the water this summer. The "Foster" and the "Viking" have been completely renewed. All other boats in turn will likewise be reconditioned. The dock will be paved and a ramp extended to facilitate launching the "Wieland". In accomplishing all this we hope to induce more members to use the boats and experience the pleasure of rowing in the Bay.

With our usual busy calendar, more participation and less excuses, we should have another progressive Dolphin year.

— Charles Yeager, President



To: LAWTON HUGHES
349 Kensington Way, San Francisco

Enclosed is check to cover party of _____, for INSTALLATION DINNER DANCE, FEBRUARY 22nd.

(Signed) _____

ELKS CLUB SITE



Our first social event of the year will be the Installation Dinner Dance, Saturday, February 22nd, at the Elks Club, 456 Post Street.

Five dollars, with tax and tip included, will cover the dinner tab with roast chicken as the entre. Dolphins and their ladies will dance to the delightful strains of Dick Schiller and his band in the banquet room on the third floor.

The gang will meet for the cocktail hour at seven; dinner will follow at eight.

Lawton Hughes, chairman, reports that enthusiasm is running high for the event, and urges that all obtain their tickets early. You may phone Lawton, OV 1-0761 or Stan Rybicki, WA 1-4845. Checks may be mailed directly to Hughes (see below).

Parking is readily available either at the O'Farrell Street Garage or the Post Street Garage.

Make up a party and enjoy a wonderful evening, Saturday, February 22nd, at the Elks Club.



WE WILL BOAT A CREW FOR COMPETITION, ANNOUNCES TOM TRONEUM

Tom Troneum, rowing coach, announced that the Dolphins will have a senior crew this year and possibly a junior crew.

Tom has written to Kearney Johnston, editor of the San Diego Rowing Club's Red and White Log, exploring the possibilities of competing in the Newport Regatta or meeting the San Diego and Orange College crews sometime in May or June.

This renewed activity in rowing could mean the revival of the Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen. It would be very easy to activate the P.A.A.O., for its officers from this area are strong supporters of rowing. Harvey Murray is President; Malcolm Steel, Secretary; and Julius Chicca, Treasurer.

In the Dolphins' trophy case rests the P.A.A.O. Senior Championship plaque upon which the Dolphins have carved their titles from 1949 to 1952 inclusive.

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor



"Happy Birthday", Dolphin Log, we are ten years old this year. It was in May, 1949, that Vince Kelly and I manned a mimeograph machine and ground out the first bulletin. In August it was called the "Dolphin Log".

What was reported in that May edition? Don Baggiani was handball commissioner and a tournament was in progress. Pete Sturiale was to meet Pat La Rocca for championship of first class. Bill Gelardi was to play Vince La Rocca for the second class title, and Tom Tarantino had defeated Mars Tarantino in third class. Lawton Hughes announced that two crews were to compete in the Stockton regatta. A major improvement in the boat house was underway with driftwood walls to be put in and the ceiling to be lowered and covered with celotex.

In ten years the Club has grown and the Log has grown. This brings us to the subject of the BUSINESS DIRECTORY and the LIFE MEMBERSHIP LISTING. Let's see if we can put this over. The cost is eight dollars for the DIRECTORY and five dollars for the LIFE MEMBERSHIP LISTING.

We are happy to welcome our new advertisers: Gus Perlite, Al Gragnani, and Sil Oliva. To our stalwart supporters who have advertised several years, many thanks: Vince and Leo La Rocca, Frank Mennucci, Steve Gaal, Carl Noto, Hector Stevens, Godeau, the Buena Vista Cafe, and Granat Brothers.

It's another baby daughter for those two swimming champions, DON and MARION KANE. Sherrie Renee was born January 19th; weight, 8 pounds, 1 ounce.

Congratulations to LEON and LILLIAN BRUMLEY on the birth of a prospective oarsman. Paul Matthew, 7 pounds, 9 ounces, was born January 19th.

DUKE CHELINI is a new grandfather. Dolores Marie Phipps was born January 2nd; weight, 6 pounds, 12 ounces.

More on the Chelini's. GENE CHELINI is with the U. S. Marines on Oahu, Hawaii, and expects to return to San Francisco in September. Brother AL CHELINI, also a Marine, is stationed with the Air Wing in Santa Anna, and has made corporal.

BOB JOHNSON graduates this month from San Jose State, and will be stationed with the Army in the Presidio.

Gate swimmers will be interested to know that we have a good tide for Sunday, September 21st. It's a flood tide, with a small run-in. Jump-off will be 8:45 A.M., daylight saving time.

DR. FRED HOWARD must find swimming in the Bay a healthful recreation, for he has become a daily dipper. Others who have joined the daily dipper ranks are VOLDI WALTER and BILL DURKEE. But, who uses all of Bill's hot water before he hits the shower room?

Two men who never need a work party call are TIM O'SHEA and STAN RYBICKI. Tim and Stan have been doing painting and carpentering.

Ten years ago we asked for news items... we are still asking...

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

A hearty Dolphin welcome to the two new members who were accepted into the Club last month — ROBERT MAHONEY and DENNIS SILVESTER.

Robert Mahoney, a 27-year-old strapping Irishman was sponsored by Ray Belluomini and Frank Mennucci. Bob indicated he was interested in handball.

Dennis Silvester is a 16-year-old student at Sacred Heart High School. Dennis was sponsored by his dad, Paul. Dennis is interested in swimming, but he will have a long way to go to top his father's record of 22 Golden Gate swims.

Charlie Yeager has appointed Nick Camarda and Carl Noto as a membership screening committee. If you are sponsoring a prospective member you will facilitate the processing of his application if you get in touch with Nick or Carl.

Applications must be posted ten days prior to the Board of Directors meeting, which is held on the third Wednesday of each month.



THIS IS THE CAPTAIN SPEAKING Charlie Sackett

The year 1958 will be a great one for the Club. One of the main reasons is because of a strong Board of Directors. These men, all of whom you probably know will lead enthusiastic work parties in various directions for getting the Club equipment in shape.

In case you are wondering who will be in these work parties, look in the mirror for your answer. In the event you haven't been notified, this is your invitation.

If each regular member would resolve to donate five hours of constructive manual labor to the Club this year we would be well on the road to complete our various work projects.

As for the older Dolphin members, we know that you don't need any urging, since we all know that working together will make us stronger and better year by year.

Let's get off to a great start in 1958 by all pitching in and helping.

Mail to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan St.

LIFE MEMBER LISTING (\$5.00)

Name _____ Year Joined _____

BUSINESS DIRECTORY (\$8.00)

Name _____

Type of Business _____

Business Address _____

Business Phone _____

LARGE AD (\$15.00) ENCLOSE BUSINESS CARD



FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

By Nick Camarda, Recording Sec'y

We are beginning a new column which we hope will have some interest to the readers of this publication.

The 1957 New Year's Eve Party has come and gone. It might be interesting to note the amounts of merchandise consumed by the people present at this affair. There were 100 pounds of roast turkey, 63 pounds of baked hams, 35 pounds of assorted sliced meat, 10 pounds of assorted sliced cheeses, 50 dozen french rolls, 7 pounds of coffee, 60 pounds of potato salad, 40 pounds of club salad, 25 pounds of potato chips, plus assorted vegetables, tomatoes, relishes, pickles, etc., etc., etc. All told, an estimated 600 pounds of food-stuffs were consumed by approximately 300 people, including eight (count 'em — eight) Club members and their wives (we hope?). It is to be hoped that the next New Year's Eve Party will call forth a greater representation of Club members.

As chairman of the affair, too much credit cannot be given to those Club members who attended. To a man, they helped oversee the multitudinous duties which had to be performed. They gave of their time and enjoyment to insure a perfect evening for our guests. My hat is off to Messrs. Noto, Tarantino, Anzalone, et al, for their assistance.

The party started promptly at 10:00 P.M., and ended at 6:15 A.M. WOW! Sore feet galore, perhaps aching heads later, but to judge from all comment heard by this corner, an excellent affair. Thank you, thank you, THANK YOU!

This promises to be a good year of achievement for the Dolphin Club. Your officers and directors have laid out an ambitious program. We will need 100% cooperation from all of the membership. How about it? Are you with us? Can we count on you? Your response to our requests for work parties, etc., will be the gauge of our success. We can build, but you have to help. Let's build big, think big, act big, cooperate big. On our part, we will fulfill our obligations as officers, directors, and members of the Dolphin Club.



Two cut-ups, Charlie Sackett and Nick Camarda put on their routine at the Cliff House breakfast following the Hike and Dip.

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
 CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
GRaystone 4-9029
1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23

HANDBALL TOURNEY STARTS MARCH 1st

ENTRY DEADLINE, FEBRUARY 21st

By Tim O'Shea

Handball will be King for the next four months at the Dolphin Club. Our 1958 singles tournament starts Saturday, March 1st, with entries closing on Friday, February 21st. An entry list is posted in the locker room at the Club.

There will be four classes: first, second, third, and novice. Trophies will be awarded to the winner and runner-up in each class.

We are very much interested in receiving entries for the novice class. It is in this class that we introduce handball to the newcomer. If you can walk and have two good hands, we guarantee to make a handball player out of you before the tournament ends.

Quoting from the late Robert L. Ripley, "Handball is the oldest game played with a ball. A ball is an instinctive source of amusement. A ball will amuse an animal, a baby, or a man. It is the most natural thing in the world to slap a ball with the hand — and that is the principle of handball."

Frank Passantino, who graduates to first class this year, is getting his legs in shape by doing road work in the Marin County hills.

Rudy Capriotti, the Pedro Valley hot-shot, promises to be in first-class shape for the coming tournament.

Vince La Rocca, judging from his workouts, looks like the most improved player in the second class.

Mario Guevara, a newcomer in first class, may be the surprise of the tournament.

Bob Johnson, the San Jose State phenom, will soon be working for Uncle Sam, but will be available for the tournament.



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Lawton Hughes . . .	Past President	Joined 1919
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester . . .	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930

CALLING ALL OLD-TIMERS!!

Help us defray printing expenses


Add your name to the Booster List!!

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO
 SIL OLIVA, Mgr.
 Also Broiled Steaks and Chops

DINING ROOM
DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565





DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 10, NUMBER 2

FEBRUARY, 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

Single Handball Tournament Draws 40 Players

OPENING DAY FOR ROWING
SUNDAY, MARCH 16 AT LAKE
Picnic Barbecue also slated

Rowing season will officially open Sunday, March 16, at Lake Merced.

Coach Tom Troneum has sent out the call for all oarsmen, former champions, young members with experience, or just paddlers to join in a day or rowing for fun.

Four former champions, Lawton Hughes, Tom Troneum, Duke Chelini, Dino Landucci, Jr., coxswained by Ray Morino, have flung a challenge to any and all comers for a four-oar barge race.

Members and their families are invited to bring a picnic lunch. Barbecue pits are available.

Rowing is expected to take a serious note this year with definite promise of a senior four-oared shell crew and possibilities of a junior fours. Tom Troneum has received a letter from Kearney Johnston stating that the San Diego Rowing Club would be interested in a regatta in June or July. Orange College and Westwood High of Long Beach may also figure in regatta plans.

Tom Finley, Olympic pair-oared champion, and Jack Grauss, who rowed in the Olympic pair-oared trials, have been rowing at training quarters. Other oarsmen who have been working out at Lake Merced include Mario Guevara, Bob Nielsen, Leon Brunley and four former crewmen from the University of California.

SPORT CENTER PLANS GO AHEAD

Engineering surveys have been recently made at the lake by the Raymond Concrete Pile Company as a preliminary to the construction of the Sports Center. The quarter of a million dollar center will include space for Dolphin racing equipment.

Mail to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan St.

LIFE MEMBER LISTING (\$5.00)

Name _____ Year Joined _____

BUSINESS DIRECTORY (\$8.00)

Name _____

Type of Business _____

Business Address _____

Business Phone _____

LARGE AD (\$15.00) ENCLOSE BUSINESS CARD

MATCHES BEGIN SATURDAY MARCH 1

STORY BY TIM O'SHEA

Looking over the entry list of our coming Singles Tournament, we note that four of our better handball players have sons also entered for the tournament starting on March 1st. They are Ray Belluomini and son Ray Jr., Dino Landucci and son Dino Jr., Leo La Rocca and son Vince, and Scotty Tarantino and sons, Dom and Tony. This could only happen here at the Dolphin Club.

"Always the bridesmaid but never the bride," that's been the story of Leo LaRocca, perennial runner-up in second class. If determination and good condition means anything, this is the year Leo should graduate into first class.

Iggie Passantino had a fine workout teaming up with Bob Brady, the National Champ, in a great game of doubles played in our Club court during the past week.

Joe Scarpa, our Singles Champ, is hitting the ball harder than ever, and looks as if he has fully recovered from the operation that kept him out of the doubles last year.

From the novice class of 1957, four players, Charlie Sackett, Dom Tarantino, Bob Johnson and Pat Schofield will endeavor to make it interesting for the more seasoned players in third class. This class boasts of some exceptionally fine players in the person of Chuck Klee-bauer, Mert Kelleher, Courtland Lee, Frank Menucci, Bob Demo, Lennie Gelardi, Jerry Clifford and Paul Silvester. If Scotty Tarantino's chiropractor can get him in shape, he will also be a contender in this class.

"The Champions of Tomorrow" that is the title we have attached to the novice class. A good many of these players will be competing in their first tournament. From the following list of entries we are bound to see some very close games. Ray Belluomini, Jr., Dom Cannizzaro, George De Gear, Roland Demarais, Marvin Green, Tom Gould, John Higley, Bob Mahoney, John McCartney, Jack Mozian and Jim Vanya.

To all Dolphin Club members! Starting March 1st and continuing for the next four months you will be able to witness some fine handball being played on our club court. Games will be played on Saturdays and Sundays so everyone can get down to the club and root your favorite home.

MARRIED MEN TO PLAY BACHELORS SOFTBALL, SUNDAY APRIL 13th

Married men will challenge the single men to a softball game, Sunday, April 13, at the Rossi Playground.

The game is called for 10:00 a.m. Frank Mennucci and Louie DeMartini will cook lunch at the Club.



FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK
By Nick Camarda Recording Sec'y

An open letter to the membership of
Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club:

Gentlemen:

The annual Dolphin Club Installation Dinner Party was held on February 22, 1958. Too much cannot be said for the efforts of the two chairmen, Lawton Hughes and Stan Rybicki in engineering another Dolphin SMASH! Too much credit cannot be given to those members and their ladies and their guests who attended the affair.

As usual, the great majority of Dolphins were conspicuous by their absence!

The Dolphin Club is primarily a man's club! Women are a rule are excluded or grudgingly admitted at times. To give credit where credit is due, it must be admitted that the Dolphin Club could not be as successful as it has been without the cooperation of these self-same women. How many of you married men experience any difficulty in getting "leave" to go to the Club? Then -- when you have a small chance to show your ladies what makes the Club tick, when you have a chance to actually include them in an important Club function - what do you do?

It is realized that many valid reasons do exist which would prevent your attendance -- but did all of you have those valid reasons and at that particular time?

This letter is not intended as a criticism of your actions. Rather, it should be interpreted as an appeal for your cooperation. We, the new officers and directors are not known to all of you. We have a duty and a responsibility to do the best we can for you and for the Club. You also have a duty -- to support in every way you can the programs outlined by us. That is the only way in which the Club can progress steadily to another successful year.

The Installation Party just concluded stands out as a brilliantly conceived and executed affair. It is the intention of this article to make you think about attending the next affair. It is for you -- the membership at large to govern the degree of success or failure and remember, the success or the failure will be just as much yours as anyone else's.

Think well, all ye Dolphins! Come and enjoy yourselves. Include the ladies at these affairs whenever possible.

How about it -- anyone for the next affair?

QUARTERLY DUES ARE NOW PAYABLE.

Mail your check with your membership card to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street.

Club sweat shirts may be purchased at Hirsch and Price Clothiers on Kearny Street.

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.
DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM
COCKTAILS
NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF, SAN FRANCISCO. ORdway 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Charlie Ackerland	Past President	Joined 1920
Emile Cicerone		Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Two new members were accepted at the last regular meeting and one man was readmitted.

Meet ARTHUR TODD, a young man who attends California Medical School. We understand Arthur is interested in swimming.

PETER CIMINO, sponsored by Carl Noto, is interested in handball.

BILL CAMPBELL, a former member, was re-admitted.

WIELAND WORK DAY MARCH 8

WANTED! 12 strong, ambitious Dolphins to work on the six-oared barge the "John Wieland", Saturday, March 8, 10:00 a.m.

The boat will be put into the water and tested for leaks.

Beer and dogs will be served (to workers only!) at noon.

MARIO GUEVARA CITED FOR SERVICE

At the end of each year a member is chosen by the Board of Directors for the Anita Day Hubbard award of "Dolphin of the Year." The recipient receives free dues for a year.

"The Dolphin of the Year" is chosen for outstanding Club service and spirit. At the last meeting of the Board of Directors it was agreed to review the membership list monthly and select a candidate or candidates who have shown such outstanding service and Club spirit.

At the February meeting Mario Guevara was nominated. Mario has done an outstanding job in painting the Club posters, has served on work parties, and has participated in all recent athletic and social events.

Which member will qualify next month?

FISH POULTRY
G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS
Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
Graystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor

We always thought firemen were well experienced with ladders, but fireman STAN RYBICKI managed to fall off a five foot ladder (no bones broken) while hanging pictures in the Keenan Room...his assistant was a retired Fire Department captain, Tim O'Sheal

It will be stork time for PATTIE and MIKE DESMOND, JR., in March.

DON KANE will enter the 100 and 220 meter breast stroke in the national championships to be held at Yale this April.

DON CLARK is another young Dolphin who was recently called to serve by Uncle Sam.

PAT SCHOFIELD almost couldn't make the handball tournament. He had to try practically every sport's store in town before he could find a pair of size 14 gym shoes.

Eight old-timers have added their names to the LIFE MEMBER BOOSTER LIST: JOE KEENAN, ANDY DEMO, CHARLIE ACKERLAND, TED MONELL, SYD FOSTER, ED DOLLARD, EMILE CICERONE, and HERB DERHAM.

JOE KEENAN, who joined the Club in 1892, is our oldest life member. The downstairs dining room, which bears his name, was completed through his generosity.

ANDY DEMO who is a past president is a great competitor in handball and a Golden Gate swimmer. He won the Club's first class singles handball tournament and copped the S.F. Fire Department's singles championship in the '30's.

CHARLIE ACKERLAND held the president's chair three times and has always been a great Dolphin booster.

TED MONELL was president in 1927 and is still active in handball and Golden Gate Swims. Ted has 23 Gate swims to his credit.

SYD FOSTER is another Dolphin champion having won the Golden Gate swim in 1921 and 1922.

You will always find ED DOLLARD at the Ocean Dip (as the newspaper photos will testify). Ed is also a past president.

EMILIO CICERONE, president in 1941, has added his name to the BOOSTER LIST. Emilio helped construct the training quarters building.

HERB DERHAM, president in 1940, led the crew in the construction of the old dock.

Recovering at Fort Miley Veterans Hospital is TIM HART...A hearty "get well", Tim, from all your brothers.

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

I think every once in awhile we should be reminded of some of our fellow member's efforts. Since the Log contacts all Dolphins, I'd like to draw your attention to some you may not know about and others you may have taken for granted.

Consider the "Log." It's editor and staff, Roland Demarais, has given us ten years of unstinted endeavor. That totals to a lot of work for one man. The value of his paper is obvious. This column you are reading is Roland's idea, as is the gun at my head to assure it is written. The Log needs more help in defraying publication costs. You Life Members, who haven't as yet been listed as Boosters, join the others. Your name in the Log, shows the Club still means something to you, even though time's passage brings changes in the use of your leisure. You men in business, part with a few bucks. Help by buying a "Directory Listing" or an "ad."

Getting a crew together and into shape, calls for many hours of coaching. Ask Tom Troneum or Lawton Hughes. The trophy case speaks for their abilities.

Familiar to many of us is.... "Hey!... Send me a bill!" That's Stan Rybicki, who keeps us all equal, by seeing our dues are paid. Don't overlook Stan's city-wide fame as Trophy Procurer.

Frank Mennucci, who is always on call as our liaison man, handling public rentals of the Club's facilities. His business ability and affable manner are a decided asset to the Club.

"Mr. Handball", Tim O'Shea, the column he writes for the Log, reflects only a small part of his duties as handball commissioner.

Paul Silvester, our on the premises representative for all rental occasions. He spends 'til early hours of the morning looking after Club property and welfare.

The professional "posters" you see throughout the Club, announcing current activities, are the work of Mario Guevara. Not only do his signs add class to the Club, I'm sure they also boost turnout.

Have you ever attended a Club affair, and not seen "Scotty" Tarantino behind the bar dispensing drinks and good humor? There are others of course, but Scotty never misses. "Hey Scotty! When is the next sardine barbecue?"

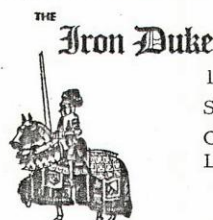
He is not functioning now that grey winter skies are here, but come the first day of Spring, one of the Charter Members of the Club's subsidiary, The Beach and Blanket Set, Sal Cannizzaro, will again acquaint as many young ladies as possible with the Club's canoes.

Certainly there are many more Dolphins who contribute. They have all earned your support, so check the calendar afforded in the Log. ATTEND THE FUNCTIONS! Let's see more of you enjoying the Club.

IN MEMORIAM EDWIN BALTHASAR

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAXLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOUGLAS 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET
SAN FRANCISCO
Cocktails -- Dinners
Luncheons -- Banquets

Your Host
DUKE DUPUIS



DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 10, NUMBER 3

MARCH, 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

DOLPHIN FOURS TO ROW IN SAN DIEGO

The Dolphin blue and white will be represented by a four-oared shell crew which will compete in an invitational regatta at San Diego, Sunday, March 30.

San Diego Rowing Club will be the host and we will compete Orange College and Long Beach High also.

Members of the Dolphin crew are seniors and graduate students at the University of California who have used up their rowing eligibility at Cal. The boys have been rowing under the tutelage of coach Tom Troneum at Lake Merced.

Stroke is Don Anderson; #3, John Peterson; #2, Dick Jordan; bow, Dick Howard; and coxswain, Paul Shinoda.

Tom Troneum stated that there is a good possibility of a return regatta at Lake Merced in June or July under the sponsorship of a revived Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen. It is also hoped that the Dolphins will boat a junior crew in the near future. Report to training quartersmen if you are interested.

Good luck Dolphin crew!

HANDBALL TOURNEY AT HALF-WAY MARK

By Tim O'Shea

At this date fifty games of handball have been played in our singles tournament. We are just about at the half way mark.

Leading the field in first class are Joe Scarpa, Don Baggiani, Mario Guevarra and Dino Landucci. Neither of these players have suffered a loss thus far.

In second class there are two players out in front: Vince La Rocca and Dino Landucci, Jr. As play advances each week, the going-gets a little tougher, and considering the close competition in this class, the standing of the players may change from week to week.

With thirteen players battling it out in third class there are but two players who have not suffered a loss; Charlie Sackett and Dom Tarantino. With many games yet to be played, it would be futile to try to predict the trophy winners at this date.

The most improved player in novice class is Johnny McCartney. He has all the ear marks of a future great. There are others in this class who have shown marked improvement at each outing and will give Johnny a tussle right down to the wire. Still in the running and going strong are Roland Demarais, Marvin Green, Jim Vanya and Ray Belluomini, Jr.

Just as our tournament was about to get under way, Ted Monell had the misfortune of breaking his ankle, and for the first time in many years could not be a participant in our singles tournament. Ted pulled many surprises in our tournaments here at the Club, and won the respect of every player he ever met.

Continued on page two

ARE WE FINALLY GOING HOME?

At a meeting of the State Park Commission with representatives of the City Park and Recreation Commission and the San Francisco Maritime Museum the State Park Commission recommended that the three rowing clubs be moved to the western end of Aquatic Park as a part of the plan for the development of Aquatic Park known as "Project X."

The Dolphin Club and the South End Rowing Club have been on record several times since 1952 in favor of the site at the western end of Aquatic Park. The rowing clubs have committees which have met with the above mentioned parties and undoubtedly more discussions will follow before we can report anything conclusive.

The rowing clubs were moved from the foot of Polk Street in 1938 to provide room for the Aquatic Park Building, later known as the Maritime Museum. This move was to be temporary until a "suitable location" could be found for the clubs.

In 1925 the extension and improvement of Van Ness Avenue forced the removal of the clubs to the foot of Polk Street.

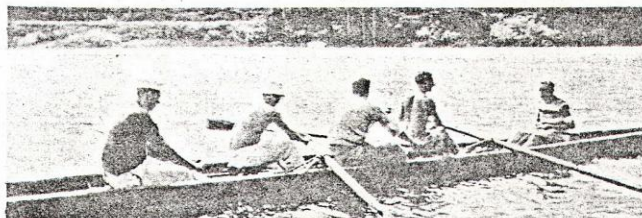
The original Dolphin clubhouse was located at the foot of Jones Street in what was known as Shelter Cove or Mrs. Kelly's Cove, which extended approximately from Powell Street to Leavenworth Street.

After 33 years, we hope the Dolphins can return "home" to the western end of Aquatic Park.

SOFTBALL GAME SUNDAY, APRIL 13TH

"Batter up. Play Ball!" Those familiar words will be heard Sunday morning, April 13, when the single men challenge the married men to a softball game at Funston Playground (note the change of playgrounds) at 9:30 a. m.

Make your plans now for that Sunday men, attend your church early and be down on the diamond on time. After the game the gang will return to the Club for an enchilada lunch prepared by Frank Mennucci and Louie DeMartini (stag only). Be sure and sign the reservation list in the locker room if you plan to eat.



Lawton Hughes coxswains a winning crew at Lake Merced March 16; str. Roger Gaal, #3 Dick Bruhns; #2 Bob Demo; bow, Gene Gayner

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor



JOHNNY MARVIN suffered a heart attack in the Staib Room last week and is recovering at San Francisco Hospital. The "no visitors" sign is on the door, however. John is a lieutenant in Truck Company Number 3. A speedy recovery John!

Two members are celebrating their 32nd wedding anniversary next month-SCOTTY and ROSE TARANTINO and MR. & MRS. JOHN BOLES.

That dashing fellow in the red M.G., skier, educator, philosopher, and rogue...that epitome of bachelorhood who resides in the Moraga hills, has flung all blithely aside and announced that ROBERT CAMPBELL, ESQ. has become engaged to Georgienana Humphreys of Burbank. The nuptials will take place in June at the San Fernando Mission.

MR. & MRS. JACK LA ROCCA will expect their first next month. This will make LEO LA ROCCA a proud granddaddy again.

More DOLPHIN BOOSTERS are still joining the ranks. PETER LUCCHESI, JOHN DE MARTINI and JAMES FLANNERY have added their names to the list. PETER LUCCHESI joined the Club in 1931 and was one of the top notch handball players. JOHN F. DE MARTINI filled out his membership application 30 years ago and has enjoyed many a good time at the social events. JAMES FLANNERY, a counselor at law, still enjoys a dip when the sun shines.

I bet you never knew that BUD STERLING had journalistic talent. We hope that "Wheee!...The Dolphins" will become a regular feature in the Log.

HANDBALL TOURNAMENT

Continued from page one

John Higley, a newcomer in handball, was about to compete in his first tournament, but was taken sick a few days before play started. To Ted and John: Get well fast and we will see you in our doubles, starting May 1st.

One of the best games played in the tournament thus far, was the game between Dom Tarantino and Bob Demo. Dom was the winner. Young Tarantino has a style reminiscent of the great Irish players who ruled the handball courts not so many years back. (Editor's note: Tim wrote this on St. Patrick's Day)

When the Passantinos and the La Roccas meet in the handball court, no holds are barred. The recent game between Leo La Rocca and Iggy Passantinos was a masterpiece. The fellow that suffered most was the referee.

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

-Charlie Yeager

Article I, Section II, of our Club Constitution states "The objects of this Club shall be to improve its members in the arts of rowing and swimming and to promote good fellowship among them." All well and good. That is the way it should remain. At the same time do you realize that through the years we have developed a civic responsibility? Examples - our well-entrenched annual Golden Gate Swim, which the Dolphins originated in 1917 and our Hike and Dip at the Beach, which we started in 1892, our participation in Columbus Day festivities. Proof - just let it be known to a native San Franciscan that you are a Dolphin and you will get, "So you are one of those guys who swim in the Ocean in the middle of winter", or, "Isn't that a tough swim across the Golden Gate?"

These major affairs have been going on with appropriate publicity for so long, the people of San Francisco accept and expect it of us.

We are a unique Club. Rich in our long 81 years of history as well as the history of our unique and internationally famous city. In other words, the Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club in its own way helps to make the flowering adjectives ascribed to our city ring true.

The war years, slowed us down by the loss of younger members. Our membership drives in the last few years have again furnished us with younger men and built our quota where we may soon have a waiting list for applicants. When we get our clubhouse at the west end of the cove, the waiting list will again be long, as it was years ago.

We want to offer the City a live and active Club, where a man can keep physically fit, at the same time get away from the television and the speed and tensions of these hurtling times.

We do not generally think of ourselves as a "dogooder" club, but it occurred to Lawton Hughes four years ago to urge the Board of Directors to give a taste of the Club's privileges to some younger boys who lacked some normal advantages. Thereby showing them how responsible adults enjoy life, hoping a little bit would rub off on them. This idea was adopted and became the annual Hanna Center Boys Day at the Club.

Our place in the City and its interests had another facet at Lake Merced and its future development. Building plans will put us in close proximity with other groups. Oarsmen! Let's be prepared to contribute to the sport and the City at this newest of recreational facilities.

To draw a more precise picture, imagine suddenly there were no Dolphin Club. There would be a void and we would be missed. So value your Club, the future will once again put a high premium upon your membership.

ELMER C. GUNTHER

BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS

GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANSOME ST.

SAN FRANCISCO 4

THE
Iron Duke

DOuglas 2-4484



132 BUSH STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails -- Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host
DUKE DUPUIS

WE THE DOLPHINS -

By Bud Sterling

For 44 years Herb Derham has belonged to the Dolphin Club. During these years he has proven himself as one of the most outstanding members. He has held the office of President in 1940 and also was a member of the Board of Directors. In constructing the present pier Herb was "Chief Engineer".

Although an expert swimmer Herb loved dining and, unlike the present day softies, always hit the water from atop the cross beam that supports the apron. During the 1915 Panama Pacific Exposition Herb dove from the top of a pile driver in Yacht Harbor.

Perhaps one of the proudest moments of his life was when he piloted his brother Ben to win the Club's second Gate Swim in 1918.

Another proud moment was when he stroked the Irish crew to beat the Italian crew.

As an athlete Herb relished competition and the night he and his partner defeated a couple of husky Alameda Elks he was happier than if he beat the best player in the Dolphin Club.

Yes sir, the Club can be proud of Herb as an inspiration and a member with an infinite spirit in the doings of the Club; whether they be social, athletic, or mechanical.

DOLPHINS ENJOY ROW AT LAKE

Dolphins with their families and friends were greeted by sunny spring skies two weeks ago at Lake Merced when the "Opening Day for Rowing" was held.

In the opening event Bob Nielsen successfully defended his title as Club Singles Champion by crossing the finish line a good two lengths ahead of Leon Brumley.

Roger Gaal took the junior singles event by sprinting pass Bob Demo. Bob caught a crab at the half-way mark and came very close to taking a swim.

Stroked by young Dino Landucci and coxswained by foxy Ray Morino the three old champs - Bob Oakley, Lawton Hughes, and Tom Troneum came through with a sweet victory over the "young champs" in the four-oared barge race. Bud Sterling steered the course for the "young champs", who were nearly swamped while making the turn. The crew included Lennie Gelardi, stroke; Jim Morino, Joe Weiss, and Bob Nielsen.

The "young champs" suffered another defeat from the crew coxswained by Lawton Hughes. Roger Gaal was stroke with Gene Gayner, Bob Demo, and Dick Bruhns.

Tom Troneum and Leon Brumley proved the doubles was faster than the pair-oared skiff by putting a couple of boat lengths past Roger Gaal, Dick Bruhns and Linda Troneum, who coxswained.

BE A DOLPHIN BOOSTER!

WORLD FAMOUS

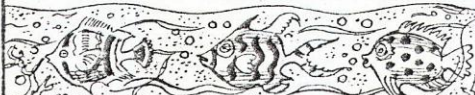
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • Ordway 3-9565





LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Charlie Ackerland	Past President	Joined 1920
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

Around The Cove With Don Kane

A never to be forgotten swimming era came to an end recently when a picture appeared in the newspapers of life member Charles Sava standing among the demolished ruins of Crystal Plunge which is being torn down for the construction of a new apartment building.

Crystal was Charlie's life. There he produced sixteen nation champion swimmers and Olympic stars. No other swim coach in the United States has equalled that fete. His team's won eight consecutive national team championships, a record that remains untouched. There at the old Crystal Plunge Charlie taught thousands of San Franciscans to swim.

However, Charlie's spirit has not been demolished. He is still going strong. He is now with the San Francisco Park and Recreation Department. The City Dept. and the National Red Cross has adopted his method for the teaching of swimming. He is still teaching thousands of people to swim each year.

His present competitive team is presently experiencing growing pains for they are rebuilding. One day in the near future Charlie's swimmers will again dominate the world swimming picture. We are honored to have Charlie as a life member of the Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club.

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

Four men were accepted into the Club at the last meeting: ROBERT RUHLAND, ALFRED DE LA TORRE, DONALD ANDERSON, and RICHARD JORDAN.

Robert Ruhland was sponsored by Bob Mahoney and Frank Mennucci. Stan Rybicki and Charlie Sackett proposed Alfred De La Torre.

Donald Anderson and Richard Jordan, who will row in our fours, were sponsored by Tom Troneum and Stan.

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON

FORT MASON MEAT MARKET

CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
GRaystone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 10 NUMBER 4

APRIL, SPECIAL EDITION 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

"CHAMPAGNE DINNER DANCE", SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH



Ronny Draper, currently appearing at Bimbo's 365 Club will headline the entertainment at the "Champagne Dinner Dance", Saturday, April 26th.

HANDBALL FINALS, SUNDAY, APRIL 27TH Entries For Doubles Close Thursday, April 24th

By Tim O'Shea

On Sunday April 27th, the final games in all four classes of our singles tournament will be played. Here is the schedule:

- 11:30 a.m. novice class finals
- 12:30 p.m. third class finals
- 1:30 p.m. second class finals
- 2:30 p.m. first class finals

At this date, in first class three players are tied for first place. Joe Scarpa, Don Baggiani and Mario Guevara, each with a standing of five wins and no losses.

In second class, Vince La Rocca is leading the field, closely followed by Dino Landucci, Jr., Rudy Capriotti and Iggy Passantino.

In third class there are Dom and Tony Tarantino, and Chuck Kleebauer going through a series of eliminations for the right to play Charlie Sackett for the title on April 27th.

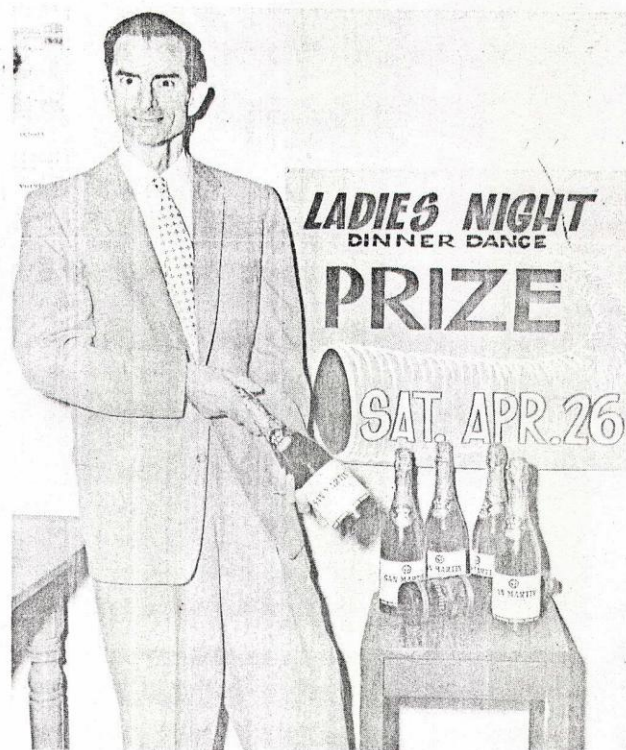
Jim Vanya and young Belluomini will meet in a crucial game this week in the novice class. The winner will meet Johnny McCartney for the title on the 27th.

Three more players have suffered casualties in our tournament. Roland De Marais and Ed Giovannoni going out with sprained ankles.

Dino Landucci, Sr. after making an exceptionally good showing in first class was forced out by an emergency operation for a sinus infection.

When they nick-named him "Gans" they made no mistake. I refer to Leo La Rocca, a five to one underdog in his match with young Landucci. Hanging on the ropes after losing his first game 21-6, he certainly emulated the Old Master in clearly outpointing his younger opponent in the next two games 21-12 and 21-6.

SIGN UP FOR THE DOLPHIN DOUBLES STARTING SATURDAY MAY 3RD.



President Charlie Yeager has his arms full of that bubbly stuff that will be given as prizes during the Ladies' Nite Dinner Dance.

LADIES' NITE AT CLUB

Cocktails - 7 p.m. -- Dinner - 8 p.m.

Entree - Fried Chicken
TAB - \$3.00

CHAMPAGNE PRIZES
SPECIAL ENTERTAINMENT

Ronny Draper -- Nick Camarda, Emcee

by reservation only
Phone Charlie Yeager PR 5-5013
or Club GR 4-9629

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor



FRANK BORDENAVE has joined the LIFE MEMBER BOOSTER LIST. Frank remembers the time he rowed in the fours at Lake Merritt with the Harris brothers and Jerry Coniff against the Alameda Rowing Club. After the race the de-

feated Alameda boys stole the Dolphins' clothes.

STEVE GAAL III, a third year medical student at the University of California, received a little more medical experience than he bargained for when he assisted in the delivery of a baby boy last April 2, at Deer Park Lodge. The lodge was snowed in and the expectant mother couldn't get to the hospital in Truckee.

Joining the ranks of the newlyweds will be PHIL GAAL who will take as his bride Miss Marilyn Smith, a San Francisco teacher, June 29. Phil will receive a degree in engineering from U.C. in June and will also be commissioned as an ensign in the Naval Reserve.

DAVE BECHTEL recently became engaged to Miss Deanna Wilson of San Francisco.

Son number six was born to MR. AND MRS. SAL SANCIMINO on March 18. Little Phillip weighed eight pounds.

LAWTON HUGHES became a granddaddy again when his daughter Joyce Vought presented hubby Glen with a six pound 13 ounce baby girl, named Patricia Jeanne.

Doing yoemen work hauling logs and repairing the dock at the Lake Merced Training Quarters after the storm were TOM TRONEUM, HARVEY MURRAY, ROGER GAAL, RICHARD BRUHNS, BOB NIELSEN, JOE FLAHAVEN, and TOM FLAHAVEN.

A hearty Dolphin "get well" to CHARLIE ACKERLAND who is in St. Luke's Hospital.

Enjoying their Easter vacation skin diving and surfing in a spot called San Quentin in sunny Mexico were BOB DEMO, ROGER GAAL, and ED DOLLARD, JR.

MARIO GUEVARA was again nominated as "Dolphin of the Month" for his outstanding service.

LOCKER NOTICE

There are quite a few lockers at the Club for which we have no record of occupancy. Last year cards were sent to every member requesting locker information. If your locker has a strip of paper on it, it means we have no record of occupancy. You are to sign the paper on your locker. If you are not sure whether your locker is registered, mail a post card to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan St. ALL UNREGISTERED LOCKERS WILL BE OPENED MAY 5TH.



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Charlie Ackerland	Past President	Joined 1920
Frank Bordenave	Oarsman	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

Calling All Life Members
Be A DOLPHIN Booster!

Regular members place your name
in the
Business & Professional Directory

"WIELAND DAY" MAY 18TH

Keep in mind the "Wieland Day", May 18th, when we launch the six-oared barge. Cocktails and dancing in the afternoon.

Mail to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan St.

LIFE MEMBER LISTING (\$5.00)

Name _____ Year Joined _____

BUSINESS DIRECTORY (\$8.00)

Name _____

Type of Business _____

Business Address _____

Business Phone _____

LARGE AD (\$15.00) ENCLOSE BUSINESS CARD



DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

MAY, SPECIAL EDITION 1958

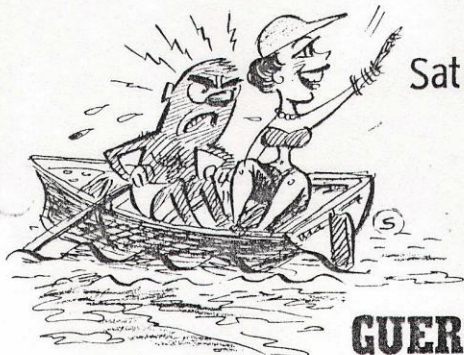
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

DOLPHIN SWIMMING & BOATING CLUB'S 6th Annual Russian River Water Carnival

Join the Gang

FOR A WEEKEND OF FUN IN THE SUN!

Saturday & Sunday, June 7th & 8th



new location

GUERNEWOOD PARK HOTEL-RESORT



-GUERNEWOOD PARK-

Every one participates - Swimming - Rowing - Canoe Tilting

Saturday, 3 p.m. * One-half mile swim race.

Saturday Nite * Delicious Dinner - Dance band.

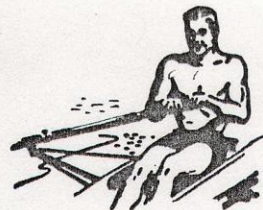
Sunday, 1-3 p.m. * Single skiff races. 4-oared Barge races. Short relay swim,
Dolphin "Blues" vs. Dolphin "Whites". Canoe tilting.

ALL ACTIVITIES CENTERED IN ONE AREA - NO NEED FOR BABY SITTERS.

Mail Now! - Please check reservation and dinner. Mail to Carl Noto, 431 Munich Street, San Francisco. Enclose \$2.50 deposit for cabin reservation. CARL NOTO'S PHONE JU 4-2355.



DOLPHIN LOG

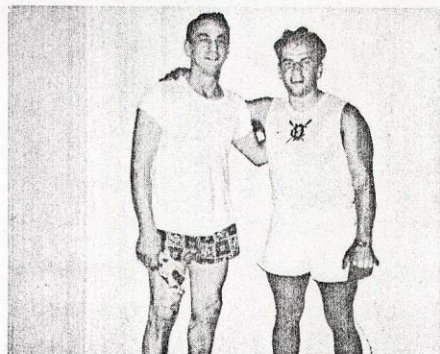


Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 10 NUMBER 5

MAY, 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.



These are the 1958 singles handball champions and runners-up. Left to right: 1st class - Don Baggiani, runner-up; Joe Scarpa, winner; 2nd class - Vince La Rocca, winner; Dino Landucci, Jr., runner-up; 3rd class - Dom Tarantino, runner-up.

'58 SINGLES CHAMPIONS REIGN

By Tim O'Shea

A goodly crowd of handball enthusiasts witnessed some great games in the finals of our Singles Handball Tournament, played in our Club court on Sunday April 27.

Joe Scarpa Dolphin Singles champ successfully defended his title by defeating Don Baggiani in two straight games, 21-13, 21-14. Both players in superb condition after winning all their games in tournament play, put on a fine exhibition of handball that delighted the large crowd in the gallery.

In second class, Vince La Rocca after losing his first game 18-21, came on to win from young Dino Landucci 21-12 and 21-11. From now on Vince will be mingling with the elite in first class.

In third class, it was a nip and tuck battle between two very fine players, Charlie Sackett and Dom Tarantino. These are the same two players who ran one, two in the novice class last year. Much improved in their play they fought for every point with Sackett winning by the very close scores of 21-17 and 21-20.

In novice class, Johnny McCartney playing his usual steady game took the measure of young Ray Belluomini in two straight games 21-12, 21-12. Both of these players will now graduate into the third class.

Play in the Dolphin Doubles started Saturday, May 3. Another novice singles also started that date.

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

Back in 1923 the Examiner sponsored a swim for all comers around Alcatraz Island. This swim had an entry list of some twenty swimmers from different organizations but the only ones to finish were three members of the Dolphin Club. The winner was Leo Purcell, second place went to Charles Hoffman, and the third to finish was that swimming barrister, Ted Monell. Since that time Ted has crossed the Golden Gate 18 times including several Chronicle swims.

Not seeing Ted around the boathouse, one wonders when he does his training. But if we pulled ourselves away from the pillow he could be seen diving into the water about 6 a.m. every morning. It could be said for Ted that he holds some kind of record for covering more miles in San Francisco Bay than any other individual.

Besides swimming, Ted loves handball and the records will show that he has entered practically every tournament, both singles and doubles. A better sport would be hard to find.

As a Past President Ted has always worked conscientiously for the interest of the Club. His generosity in donating trophies and his assistance in legal matters are well appreciated by all the membership.

To Ted Monell the Dolphin Club salutes a member with a record that would be quite difficult to duplicate.

"WIELAND DAY" SUNDAY, MAY 18

Not since 1952 when the six-oared pleasure barge the "John Wieland" was swamped off Angel Island have Dolphins had the pleasure of bending an oar of the beautiful boat. But all will be changed when the 71 year old "Wieland" again slides into the water of the Bay completely reconditioned Sunday, May 18.

There will be dancing and festivities in the boathouse to celebrate the event which will start at 1:00 p.m.

Charlie Yeager has announced the following crew of old-timers to bear the honors: Ray Morino will coxswain, Anita Day Hubbard, Bud Sterling, Herb Derham, Lawton Hughes, Tom Troneum, and Andy Dunne.

DOLPHIN WATER CARNIVAL

RUSSIAN RIVER

Saturday & Sunday, June 7-8

Rowing & Swimming Events

watch for reservation information



Dolphins and their ladies enjoy a gala evening at the Ladies' Nite Champagne Dinner Dance April 27.



FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK
By Nick Camarda, Recording Sec'y

It started with champagne - and ended with balloons; it started with work - and ended with fun for all; it started with two - and ended with 120. Now the party is over - and the best part of it is the good memories and good fellowship that made the party a success.

Ladies' Nite at the Club. Soft lights reflecting upon clusters of balloons, gleaming napery on the unusual table arrangements, flowers of many hues adding the one colorful touch to each table, entertainment, good food, dancing - that was a night to remember. Weren't you there?

Many Club members brought guests. Al Liva with a party of 24, George DeGear with a party of 12 - Bob Mahoney - Bob Ruhland - Herb Derham with Mrs. Hubbard, the Lawton Hughes' celebrating their 30th wedding anniversary, Ray Morino and Jean, Dom Anzalone and company, Lover Boy Saland friend - Brother Vince Cannizzaro and spouse. Hush, gentlemen! Ladies' Nite even brought "Shoes" Schunemann out of hiding. Yes, even the great "Shoes" was present with his ever-lovin', as well as Sugar and Sterling, Tom Troneum and his lovely, Bob Neilsen and company - the list is too long! The stalwarts who worked: Stan Rybicki, Frank

Mennucci, Ray Bolluomini, Jr., James Vanya, Dennis Silvester. Joe Orlando, and the master of the kitchen - the man to whom most credit should be given - President Charles Yeager.

After dinner, the tables were cleared away and the dancing began. The tickets were collected and the door prize, champagne, was awarded. On the floor were placed 5 "X" 's, and during the evening, by a process known only to one person, the music would stop-- and the lucky couple dancing nearest a particular "X" would be awarded a bottle of champagne. The festivities continued until the end of the evening when a mass assault was made upon the balloon clusters as a fitting climax to the affair. Weren't you there?

The success of this affair depended upon you, the Club members. To those of you who turned out, especially the younger and newer members, the very sincere thanks of the Officers and Directors. There will be a next time for those of you who could not make this affair - so -won't you be there?

---FINAL NOTICE!---

All unregistered lockers will be opened on or after May 15.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, INC.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET
SAN FRANCISCO
Cocktails -- Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets
Your Host
DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor



We deeply regret to report the passing of CHARLIE ACKERLAND and TIM HART. Both men until a short time ago, enjoyed their daily dip. The Club will be a little poorer by their absence.

President CHARLIE YEAGER wishes to thank all those who attended the Ladies' Nite Dinner Dance and especially those who worked so hard to make it a success: NICK CAMARDA (Well Done, Nick), FRANK MENNUCCI, "GIGI" ORLANDO, STAN RYBICKI, DENNIS SILVESTER, JIM VANYA, RAY BELLUMIN, JR., and TIM O'SHEA.

Two old-timers with their lovely ladies at the Dinner Dance were EMILIO CICERONE and RALPH MAC-KAY.

Seemingly working single handed to put the "Wieland" in shape for the May 18 Wieland Day - LES HENDRY.

If you feel something snapping at your toes when you take a swim, it might be JIM PERETZIAN'S lower plates. Jim lost 'em last week while taking a dip.

Doing a great job putting the ramp in for the "Wieland" is CHARLIE YEAGER.

The Dolphin four-oared shell crew lost by a scant two lengths to Cal's senior and j.v. alternates last week. TOM TRONEUM ANNOUNCED they probably will get a return race when Cal meets UCLA next week.

The Club has been notified by the city engineer that we have two months to move or demolish our training quarters building at Lake Merced to make room for the new Sports Center.

The Dolphin Booster List grows every month....

"HAM" DELUCCHI has put an ad in the Log. "Ham" was a member of the fours which won the Pacific Coast Championship in 1914 and '15.

HECTOR "MOUNTAIN LION" GIUNTINI has signed the list. Hector, presently a member of the Grand Jury, joined the Club in 1909 and earned his fame as an oarsman.

Dr. A. W. WARD is another new Booster. "Doc" has 54 years membership and was an excellent handball player in his day.

HENRY KANTER has joined the Booster List. Henry is a Past President and was an all-around athlete, excelling in swimming, rowing, and handball.

TOM TRONEUM, one of the young old-timers, took the junior singles Pacific Coast title in 1935, annexed the lightweight championship in '36, '37, and '38, and won the lightweight and senior title in 1940.

We had to add another section to the Booster List



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Dr. A. W. Ward	Handball Player	Joined 1904

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1937
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM Continued

to accommodate the Regular Members....

STAN RYBICKI, a Past President, and now our hard working Financial Secretary.

DR. FRED HOWARD signed on. Dr. Howard joined the Club last year and has one Gate Swim under his belt.

IN MEMORY OF

Charles Ackerland
Tim Hart

LOUIS A. DELUCCHI
Proprietor

Telephone
MISSION 7-5254

VIRGINIA MEAT MARKET

Specializing in
HIGH GRADE MEATS

3322 MISSION STREET
Bet. 29th & 30th Sts.

SAN FRANCISCO 10,
CALIFORNIA

FISH

POULTRY



G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
GRaystone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23

WORLD FAMOUS EXPOSITION FISH GROTTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM

Also Broiled Steaks and Chops

DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF - SAN FRANCISCO - ORdway 3-9565





DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 10 NUMBER 6

JULY, 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

INITIATION PICNIC, SUNDAY, JULY 20, AT PARADISE COVE

NEW HANDBALL DOUBLE CHAMPIONS

By Tim O'Shea

After a series of elimination games, Iggy Passantino and Dino Landucci Sr. won the semi-finals in the Dolphin doubles by defeating Don Baggiani and Leo La Rocca two straight games, 21-18, 21-8. Iggy and Dino were declared champs when the team of Joe Scarpa and Joaquin Claveria were forced to default.

The doctor ordered Joe Scarpa to withdraw from handball for the next few months due to torn ligaments in his right leg.

Pat Schofield and Tony Tarantino clinched the second class doubles title by defeating Mert Kellecher and Bob Demo.

In the novice singles Marvin Green took the title by winning two out of three matches from Bill Perasso.

The death of Frank Passantino was not only a shock to his immediate family, but it left a pall of gloom around the quarters of the Dolphin Club, where Frank had so many friends.

It is hard for me to realize that Frank has gone. We occupied adjacent lockers here at the Club. After building his beautiful home in Marin Co. and becoming a commuter, I had nicknamed him "The Kid from Sleepy Hollow". To him I was just known as "The Irishman".

He took a keen interest in the athletic activities of the Club, but the game of handball appealed to him most. In this sport he was a first class player, and competed against the best the Club had to offer.

He was a devoted family man, and was successfully engaged in business with his brother Ignatius, also a member of the Dolphin Club.

The high esteem in which he was held was attested by the large crowd that attended the Requiem Mass at the church of Sts. Peter and Paul, just a stones throw from where Frank had spent many of his childhood years.

From the church the remains were taken to the Mausoleum at Holy Cross for entombment.

Requiescat in pace.

HANNA CENTER BOYS INVITED

Once again the Club will be invaded by 50 fun-loving underprivileged boys from the Hanna Boys' Center in Sonoma when they arrive for their annual day of aquatic fun Saturday, August 2.

KING NEPTUNE SUMMONS POLLYWOGS

Pack your lunch and gather the family for a Sunday of Dolphin frolic at the annual Initiation and Picnic at Paradise Cove Sunday, July 20.

While pop is getting his licks initiating the pollywogs there will be games for the ladies and kids on the field.

The price is one buck per head. Children under 12 are admitted free. Barbecue pits are available.

ROYAL PROCLAMATION

BE IT KNOWN THAT CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB HAVE SPORTED IN THE WATERS OF SAN FRANCISCO BAY WITHOUT MY ROYAL PERMISSION.

WHEREAS, THESE MEMBERS, HEREWITH KNOWN AS MISERABLE LOWLY POLLYWOGS, HAVE BEEN USING THE MOST HONORABLE APPELLATION OF "DOLPHIN" WITHOUT MY AUTHORITY.

THEY ARE COMMANDED TO APPEAR BEFORE MY ROYAL COURT AT PARADISE COVE AT 12 NOON, SUNDAY, JULY 20, TO FACE MY EXTREME DISPLEASURE.

THE FOLLOWING POLLYWOGS WILL APPEAR:

DON ANDERSON, BILL BISARO, TOUFIE BLAKE, MARTIN BRENNKE, BILL CAMPBELL, DOMINIC CANNIZZARO, ROBERT CERVARICH, PETER CIMINO, ALFRED DeLaTORRE, DAVID HINTON, HARRY HONAKER, MERLE HONAKER, DR. FRED HOWARD, RICHARD JORDAN, JAMES LEE, ROGER MERRILL, DANIEL MURPHY, WILLIAM PFISTER, BOB RHULAND, ANTHONY SHERIDAN, DENNIS SILVESTER, EARL SYVERSON, AND ARTHUR TODD.



(signed) NEPTUNES REX

DOLPHINS PLAY YMI, YMCA

In a match two weeks ago with members from the YMI the Dolphins won two out of three matches.

The Vince La Rocca and Vince La Rocca cousin combination scored a victory together with Joe Bruno and Dino Landucci, Jr. Club losers were Mario Guevara and Iggy Passantino.

Three double matches are slated with the YMCA Sunday, July 13.

ROUND-TRIP ROW TO SACRAMENTO

Twelve Dolphins are planning to beat the traffic problem by rowing the six-oar barge the "John Wieland" in a 210 mile round-trip jaunt to Sacramento next month to catch the State Fair.

The doughty Dolphin crew includes: Les Hendry, Ed deCossio, Ed deCossio, Jr., Joe Weiss, Jim Van-ya, Frank Mennucci, Bob Demo, Carl Luders, Roger Gaal, Charlie Sackett and Mario Guevara. There is room for two more.



FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

By Nick Camarda, Recording Secretary

This is the story of the stalwarts. The men of the Dolphin Club who have conceived and executed a plan over the years. The Russian River Water Carnival was originally designed to help our Club and the entire area with the idea of stimulating rowing, competitive rowing. The stalwarts are always the same men who are in the forefront of every club activity which involves WORK. These men have worked.

Picture a white beach, shrubbery vividly green, a sheer bluff falling steeply to the shore, the sky alternately cloudless blue or sullenly gray, a spatter of rain, a smooth rippling body of water. Populate the scene with some dozens of men outfitted in the blue and white of the Club. Four slender cigar-shaped, tobacco-colored craft gingerly afloat. Suddenly the scene bursts into activity - crews are organized, the boats take positions and come alive - looking like gigantic water spiders - at a given signal - THE START! White water churning beneath flashing oar blades - men moving in unison (almost) - around the turn neck and neck - up against the current now - put your backs into it - strain - sweat - the finish - the cox calls for a big ten - burst your straining muscles - but get across the line first - VICTORY!

Sounds simple - a bunch of muscle bound guys in a boat swinging an oar. Try it, sometime. The stalwarts will teach you. Are you game?

There are many names which could be used to fill this column, there were many incidents which could be detailed in order to fill the allotted space - but the message to be delivered is a very simple one - all of you must get into the Club doings. Would it help to tell you that Carl Noto and Lawton Hughes made the arrangements - that Scotty Tarantino did his usual "going-overboard" routine - only this time on the square - that the canoe tilting produced the anomaly of the paddler going overboard instead of the tilter? Unless you were there, no amount of descriptive writing can detail the actual occurrences. This does not imply that the affair was not a success - rather it means that the next time we go to the Russian River, it can become a greater success - with your cooperation. Tom Troneum worked as a stalwart - surely you members can come the next time. Try it and see.

BRUMLEY ROWS BEST TIME

Leon Brumley, Dolphin sculler, had the best actual time (7:40) in a singles handicap race June 22, over a 1-1/16 mile course at San Diego, but losted Streicher (8:00) who was given a one minute handicap.

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

To most of us the Dolphin Club is a place to play handball or take a swim, but to Lawton Hughes it is an institution that enables him to gratify his inexhaustible ardor for athletic competition and social activities.

Perhaps the Dolphin Club has had some strong men, and maybe some great athletes, but we can think of only one iron man and that appellation belongs to Lawton Hughes. How many times has he swum the Golden Gate without an ounce of training? Enough times to have a bracket made for the lovely Mrs. Hughes with the gold bars he received for the crossings. It would be nothing for Lawton to win a couple of boat races after the swim.

We have watched Lawton year after year working in all capacities for the Club. Repairing the boats and boathouse, representing the Club in civic affairs, serving as president, financial secretary, entertainment chairman, and director were only a few of his functions. However his greatest achievement most likely was when he coached the senior and lightweight crews to championships and brought back the trophies which had been in the possession of the San Diego Rowing Club for so many years.

Besides being a great coach, Lawton was an all-around athlete. To list the number of titles he won in rowing, swimming, and handball would require a separate edition of the Dolphin Log. Let's not forget that Lawton was also anchor man on the Dolphin bowling team which won the championship.

Is it any wonder the Club accorded Lawton the highest honor when they named the pair oared pleasure boat "Lawton Hughes".

AROUND THE COVE WITH DON KANE

Jay Fritz, member of the St. Ignatius High Swim team, set a new San Francisco High School standard of 1:04; in the 100 yard butterfly event and was a member of the varsity medley relay team which also cracked the old record by almost five full seconds.

Hank Fourcade, Stanford junior, placed fifth in the 100 yard freestyle at the Pacific Coast Conference Swimming Championships held at U.C.

Roger Gaal, Dave Dyc, and Jerry Overstreet, an all-state of California footballer from Lincoln Hi, have been appearing in recent water shows and aquacades as a comedy diving act.

Harry Honaker, admitted to the Club recently, won the hotly contested Water Carnival Swim held at the Russian River on June 7. Ted Lambertson was second with Don Kane third. Winning time was 4 min. 11 secs. Other results of the swim; 4th-Ron Raeta; 5th-Dick Hackett; 6th-Rich Bruhns; 7th-Pat Irvin.

ELMER C. GUNTHER

BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS

GARFIELD 1-5931

114 BANSOME ST.

SAN FRANCISCO 4

THE
Iron Duke



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET

SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails -- Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host
DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor



Toufie Blake, a husky Dolphin who hails from strife-torn Lebanon, will attempt to conquer the rugged 28-mile swim to the Farallone Islands late this month.



Toufie is no novice at this game. He swam the English Channel in 1953 and again in 1954. Both in 1956 and in 1957 he attempted the Farallones. He was 10 miles within his goal in 1957. "Not enough training that year," he said. "I was worrying about too many details of the swim, my boat, the pilot, sponsors."

"This year I'm training hard and giving all my time to swimming."

What about the cold water?

"I have been training long hours. I stayed in the water eleven hours last week. The next day when I hit the water I could hardly move my arms, but in a few minutes I felt good."

"Say something nice about Joe Weiss," he said, "He has been doing all the rowing for me."

Aren't those ocean currents tough?

"I have been studying all the charts on the currents and tides and I believe I understand them."

When asked why he thought he could make it when Ray Carmassi and Myra Thompson failed he replied, "I don't know about Carmassi, but Myra could have made it if she didn't weaken her condition previously in the swim across the Strait of Juan de Fuca."

Asked what he could eat on the swim he answered, "Everything, hamburgers, hot dogs, boiled eggs. Cramps only come from not training hard. If you kick every day for an hour you won't get cramps."

Good luck Toufie. We would like to see a Dolphin be the first to conquer the Farallones!

Stork Club: Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. JAMES KRELING on the arrival of a son, Mark Merrill, 7 lbs., 13 oz., June 23. And in the event that you haven't heard- Mr. & Mrs. Roland Demarais had a baby girl May 8, Catherine Therese, 11 lbs. 10 oz.

BOB CAMPBELL and Georgiena Humphreys, who will wed July 12, will honeymoon in Hawaii.

Congrats to JOAN and HARRY FIELDS on the birth of their daughter Stacey Alison, 7 lbs. 14 oz., July 3.



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1925
Dr. A. W. Ward	Handball Player	Joined 1904

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

LOUIS A. DELUCCHI
Proprietor

Telephone
MISSION 7-5254

VIRGINIA MEAT MARKET

Specializing in
HIGH GRADE MEATS

3322 MISSION STREET
Bet. 29th & 30th Sts.

SAN FRANCISCO 10,
CALIFORNIA

FISH

POULTRY



G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
GRaystone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23

WORLD FAMOUS EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM

Also Broiled Steaks and Chops

DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • Ordway 3-9565



BE A DOLPHIN BOOSTER!

Mail to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street

Enclosed is \$5.00 for Booster List

Name _____ Sport _____

Enclosed is \$8.00 for Business and Professional
Directory

Name _____ Business _____

Business Address _____ Phone _____



DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 10 NUMBER 7

AUGUST, 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

AQUATIC PARK HANDICAP SWIM, SATURDAY, AUGUST 16



HANNA CENTER BOYS ENJOY DAY

By Nick Camarda

Cast of characters:

M'sieu Andreu Dunne, Chef de Cuisine; Mlle. Linda Troneum, Hamburger Queen; Beach Crew: Healy, Troneum, Brumley, Campbell, Jr., Hatlen, Hughes, Guevara, Sterling, Demarais, Landucci, Sr., Ruhland, Yeager; Galley Crew: Mooney, Rybicki, Noto, DeGear, O'Shea, Kelleher, Mahoney.

The boys from the Hanna Center complete the cast. The Dolphin Club was privileged to play host once again to the group from the Hanna Center for Boys.

The program included several beach events, then an adjournment to the Keenan Room for a spaghetti and meatball dinner, with all the trimmings, then a visit to the sailing vessel Balclutha, arranged through the courtesy of Mr. Nelson and the San Francisco Maritime Museum, finally a return to the Club for more aquatic events. A full day for the youngsters and their hosts.

There is considerable work involved in presenting and serving a complete dinner for 60-odd persons. The response of those members who helped in the preparation and serving of the food is in the most satisfactory sense a personal achievement of the co-chairmen of Hanna Day, Lawton Hughes and Roland Demarais. Andy Dunne and his kitchen crew worked long hours to insure the proper culinary artistry. Miss Linda Troneum added her touch to cooking the meat balls. The rest of the kitchen crew worked as a unit under the general supervision of Stan Rybicki to set the tables, serve our guests, and "do the dishes after". Bouquets to Carl Noto, who did a great job of organizing, to Anita Day Hubbard and Fred Mae on publicity, to Sal Sancimino who donated the ice cream. A truly concerted team effort which again illustrates the Dolphin Spirit. Con-

STAG STEAK LUNCH

By Frank Adams

The Eighth Annual Dolphin Aquatic Park Handicap Swim to be held at noon, August 16, will serve several purposes. It will show the results of this year's training, it will help keep alive the competitive spirit of the Dolphin Club, and it will bring the Club members together for another delicious steak lunch served by that master of the culinary department, Stan Rybicki.

An added item to this year's swim is a qualifying test for new members who wish to swim the Golden Gate.

Starting times worked out to date: Sal Cannizzaro, 12:00; Joe Mares, 12:02; Joe Weiss, 12:05.45; Jim Vanya, 12:06; Ed deCossio, 12:06; Paul Silvester, 12:06; Bob Johnson, 12:06.30; Ted Moneil, 12:07.30; Vince Cannizzaro, 12:07; Wayne Alexander, 12:09; Walt Schneebeli, 12:09.15; Ed Curtis, 12:11.20; Joe Bruno, 12:11.30; Cliff Quist, 12:10; Kevin Keith, 12:12; Tom Troneum, 12:12.30; Harry Fields, 12:13.30; Bob Demo, 12:14; Dick Hackett, 12:20; Don Kane, 12:21.30. These times are subject to revision.

If handicaps are figured correctly, swimmers finish close to a dead heat. As far as is known, this is the only open water handicap swim in the United States.

Ed deCossio, last year's winner, will be on deck to defend his laurels. This is a wide open race and any one can win. Trophies will be awarded the first three places. Sign up early so we can figure your handicap.

FACTS TO BE PROUD OF

We believe we have a record of membership participation in Club activities, percentage-wise, that very few clubs could match.

Nearly one out of every four of our regular members swim the Golden Gate.

90% of our membership knows how to handle a boat on the bay.

One out of every five members play handball.

20% of our membership is composed of life members who have been in the club 25 years or longer.

Dolphin first: originated the hike and dip at the Ocean Beach, 1892; originated the Golden Gate Swim, 1917; originated the Aquatic Park Handicap Swim, 1951; started the Raccoon Straight Swim as an annual event, 1952.

gratulations, Miss Troneum and gentlemen, and many thanks to the Hanna Center for Boys for allowing the Dolphin Club to be your hosts.



FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

By Nick Camarda, Recording Secretary

We had it, gentlemen, the Initiation Picnic, that is. Despite the threatening weather, the turnout was adequate to the occasion. Of course, the scarcity of pollywogs merely concentrated the efforts of King Neptune's ghoulish aides upon those four courageous souls who offered up their dignity and their "physiques" to the ritual which admits one into the select corps of the chosen ones in King Neptune's Court.

Beware - you uninitiated - a mark has been placed opposite your names - you may belong to the Club for a considerable length of time - but the Royal Jailer has a long memory - he'll get YOU yet!

As usual, the same men were in the forefront of all activities: Carl Noto provided the music, Stan Rybicki prepared the summonses and arranged for the necessary equipment. Frank Mennucci was attired in his inimitable "Queen" role, Lawton Hughes served as the Royal Prosecutor, the ghouls of King Neptune (played by a charcoal-smeared Carl Noto) were Demo, Morino, Gelardi, Anzalone, etc. etc. ad infinitum, ad nauseum. Special mention must be given Scotty Tarantino for two reasons. He did NOT bring any fish to this picnic, and his enthusiasm for the ritual blessed equally the pollywogs, the participants, and the spectators.

Kiddie games were held for the small fry, and prize dances were held for the adults. Then the tantalizing aroma of broiling steaks basted in garlic started to waft around the area, the people sat down with their respective groups, and as the day faded into an early twilight, the cars started moving out of the park singly or in pairs, and so ended this Initiation Picnic. A good day.

RACCOON STRAITS SWIM

Saturday, September 6

Buffet Lunch

at Corinthian Yacht Club, Tiburon

BRING THE LADIES

Jump-off 12:30 p. m.

Swimmers assemble at Corinthian Yacht Club, 11:00 a. m.

105-MILE ROW TO SACRAMENTO

Four rugged Dolphins are going to make the 105-mile row to Sacramento, August 29.

Les Hendry will skipper the double-oared pleasure boat the James Farrell. The crew includes Joe Weiss and Ed deCossio with his son, Ed., Jr.

The originally planned Wieland trip was cancelled.

ELMER C. GUNTHER

BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, INC.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

Over in Sausalito, living in an ark, you will find Syd Foster, a life member of the Dolphin Club. Syd is one of the most likeable and interesting fellows you would want to meet. Besides rowing in numerous races, Syd has the distinction of winning the Golden Gate Swim three times.

The next time you are driving through Sausalito, drop down to the yacht harbor and ask to see the harbor master. Syd might give you a ride in his outrigger canoe which he inherited from the Samoan exhibition of the 1915 World Fair. We are sure Syd would be most happy to swap yarns with any of the members.

Good luck Syd, and come and see us sometime.

ALL SWIMMERS ATTENTION!

By Nick Camarda

A special meeting of the Dolphin Board of Directors was held recently to outline our program of operations for the Cove Handicap Swim, August 16, the Raccoon Straits Swim, September 6, and the GOLDEN GATE SWIM, September 21. These swims represent the Triple Crown of Aquatics in the Bay Area, with the Golden Gate Swim being the chief prize.

The Golden Gate Swim, while not a particularly long swim, is nonetheless a very difficult swim. You men who have participated in previous swims well know the tide rips and water conditions which make the difficulties. Therefore, the following has been decided for your protection.

You must qualify for the Golden Gate Swim by finishing either the Cove or the Raccoon Swims. You must train adequately for the swim. A committee has been set up which will screen all swimmers and pass on their degree of readiness. The field for the Golden Gate Swim has grown tremendously in the last few years, making the task of patrolling the course and protecting all swimmers very difficult. The Club has arranged for many extra boats this year to help protect everyone. The swimmers boat will have only the working party aboard - there will be no other passengers. You swimmers must follow the course as set by the Marshall of the Course.

These rules are laid down for your protection. They must be observed. There will be some of you who may make the Cove or the Raccoon, or both, and still will be disqualified for the Golden Gate. Once the swimming committee has passed on your entry into the Gate Swim, then the responsibility shifts to the Marshall of the Course. He has been authorized to take anyone from the water he sees fit, regardless of position, in the interests of safety.

It is realized that some of you will be unavoidably left out - we ask your cooperation to man the boats and thereby lend your participation to a successful swim.

THE
Iron Duke

DOuglas 2-4484



132 BUSH STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails -- Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host
DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor



How do the Dolphins spend their summer?

GREGG DeGEAR is a director at Enchanted Hills for the blind in Napa Valley....

AL GRAGNANI, who plays softball for the First Western Bank was seen escorting a lovely lady at the Venetian Room....

MARIO GUEVARA is busy making formulae for his new baby daughter, Nancy Jean, who arrived July 8; weight 8 lbs. 4 oz....

BUD STERLING dropped in to see "SQUEAKEY" MOZZETTI and MAX WEBER in Las Vegas. These two fine Dolphins are always happy to say "hello" to a visiting Dolphin. "Squeakey" is night kitchen steward at the Dunes and Max is chef at El Rancho Vegas....

GENE GAYNOR and ROGER GAAL are life guards at Fleishacker Pool....

CHARLIE KORELEC, GENE MESSERSCHMIDT, and ROY HOOPER passed their sergeant's exam for the S. F. Police Department. Charlie ranked 2nd and Gene 7th....

LENNIE J. GELARDI received a \$500 tip while tending bar at Tommy's Joynt. It seems William Free, President of Dimensional Pictures, Inc., who explained to Lennie he lost his wallet, produced a Diner's Club card and asked to charge a beer. Lennie said he would buy him one. Free's response was to give Lennie 1000 shares in his corporation - value \$500!

AROUND THE COVE WITH DON KANE

Ted Lambertson, winner of the Russian River Swim looks like a doubtful starter for the Cove Aquatic Park Handicap Swim, August 16 due to a recent stay in the hospital with a bad case of poison oak.

However; Harry Honaker; Rich Hackett; Hank Fourcade and Jim Lee will definitely be swimmers to watch. These boys haven't been around the Club too often, but don't be fooled by their absence. Harry is training up at Benicia. He trains both in the pool and the Bay. Rich is training under the guidance of coach Mark Graham at Mission Pool. Hank spends much time swimming laps at the Olympic Club pool. Jim also trains at the Olympic Club, but he is a threat at any time.

Then there are standbys Tom Troneum; Joe Mares, Wayne Alexander; Harry Fields; Joe Weiss; and Joe Bruno who will be up there and ready to bump any of the above mentioned "youngsters". You can always look for Doc McIvor and Jay Fritz to be in the thick of it.

Of course there are always surprises and disappointments in events such as this, but in the Cove Aquatic Park Handicap Swim the swimmer which improves the most over a previous performance usually cops the gold medal.

continued

WORLD FAMOUS

EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1925
Dr. A. W. Ward	Handball Player	Joined 1904

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

Around The Cove (continued)

Short Notes: We hear from the grapevine that Joe Flahavan has volunteered for the draft. . . Charles Sava's production of Swimming champions has been drastically curtailed by a recent policy change by the supervisor of Aquatics for San Francisco. It seems that training time offered to swimmers has been cut in half. . . We noticed in Dick Nolan's Sunday Examiner column that Club members Joe Mares hired a Joe Mares as a waiter at his Lambros Restaurant. . . Pacific Coast swimmers won every event at the Women's National A.A.W. Championships Saturday and Sunday at Topeka, Kans. Bay Area girls accounted for six victories.

LOUIS A. DELUCCHI
Proprietor

Telephone
MISSION 7-5254

VIRGINIA MEAT MARKET

Specializing in
HIGH GRADE MEATS

3322 MISSION STREET
Bet. 29th & 30th Sts.

SAN FRANCISCO 10,
CALIFORNIA

FISH

POULTRY



G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
Graystone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 10, NUMBER 8

SEPTEMBER, 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

42ND DOLPHIN GOLDEN GATE SWIM, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

KANE SETS RECORD FOR RACCOON SWIM

Don Kane won the seventh annual Raccoon Straits swim for the third straight time Saturday, September 6, and set a new record of 13 minutes and 49 seconds.

He was closely followed by Harry Honaker, a senior on the Capuchino High School swimming team in San Bruno, who came in second with a time of 13:53.

A record number of 34 swimmers made the crossing in very good time.

Nick Camarda did a splendid job in making the arrangements for the swim and the luncheon at the Corinthian Yacht Club. The balmy weather brought out 112 Dolphins and their guests who enjoyed the hospitality of the yacht club.

Results were: Don Kane, 13:49; Harry Honaker, 13:53; Hank Fourcade, 14:49; Hector Valencia, 15:17; Richard Bruhns, 16:56; Gene Gaynor, 17:07; Bob Demo, 17:49; Vince Cannizzaro, 18:21; Roger Gaal, 18:22; Bill Light, 18:25; Jim Healy, 18:33; Joe Flahaven, 18:50; Walt Schneebeli, 18:51; Cliff Quist, 18:52; Tom Troncum, 18:53; Jim Vanya, 19:21; Joe Weiss, 20:00; Wayne Alexander, 20:08; Bob Johnson, 20:56; Dr. Fred Howard, 21:08; Ed Curtis, 21:15; Joe Bruno, 21:26; Kenneth Gaal, 21:45; Dino Landucci, Jr., 22:06; Joe Mares, 22:23; Gene Messerschmidt, 22:30; Sal Cannizzaro, 22:41; Bill Bisaro, 22:52; Steve Gaal, 22:55; Don Baggiani, 22:09; Voldi Walter, 23:30; Ed deCossio, 24:56; Leif Hatlen, 25:55.

JOE FLAHAVEN WINS HANDICAP SWIM

By Frank Adams

Joe Flahaven, a city life guard and new member in his first competitive Club swim, won the Aquatic Park Handicap Swim last month with a time of 22 minutes and 40 seconds.

Joe made the third best time for the swim. Don Kane had the best time of 19:49, followed by Hank Fourcade with the second best time of 20:55.

Walt Schneebeli and Cliff Quist scored in the winners circle with second and third places respectively.

A record number of 29 swimmers turned out. Our members are beginning to realize the importance of the first swim of the season. Your time in this race might indicate where you will finish in the Golden Gate Swim.

There have been inquiries on how the handicaps are figured. They are based on the previous year's handicap swim. Subtract the best time of the race (Don Kane, 19 min. 49 sec.) from your time of the race and that is the amount of the handicap you will

(Continued on page 5)

Record Entry Predicted

Sixty Dolphins will make one of the biggest splashes in the Club's history when they dive off the swimmer's boat Sunday, September 21, in the 42nd annual Golden Gate Swim classic.

Don Kane, two time Gate winner, will again be the favorite, but the dope could be upset by 16 year old Harry Honaker who hit the beach a scant four seconds behind Don in the Raccoon Straits Swim. Hank Fourcade, who came in second in the Gate Swim last year and who had the second best time in the Aquatic Park Handicap Swim, is another young man to watch.

Lawton Hughes, our tide expert, has set the jump-off time at 8:35 a.m., which will be the end of a flood tide. The tide is very favorable and times should be good if there is not too much wind to cause choppy water.

Our swimming commissioner, Stan Rybicki, has worked hard in making arrangements for the Coast Guard boats and has solicited some very beautiful trophies.

Spectators may view the swim from a Harbor Tours boat which will depart from Pier 43-1/2 at 8:00 a.m. sharp.

After the swim there will be dancing and the presentation of trophies at the clubhouse.

Schedule For Golden Gate Swim

Pilots assemble at clubhouse	6:30 a.m.
Swimmers assemble at clubhouse	7:00 a.m.
Pilots leave in Coast Guard tow	7:30 a.m.
Swimmers' boat leaves Pier 43	7:45 a.m.
Spectator's boat leaves Pier 43-1/4	8:00 a.m.
Jump-off from Ft. Point	8:35 a.m.
Dancing at the Club	1:00 p.m.
Presentation of trophies	3:00 p.m.

Swimmers and Pilots Meeting Wednesday, September 17, 8:00 p.m.

All swimmers and pilots are requested to attend a meeting Wednesday, September 17, at 8:00 p.m. in the Staib Room in order to get full instructions and details of the swim and course.

Pilots are badly needed. If you are not swimming, please attend this important meeting and give us a hand with the boats.

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

We are happy to welcome 15 new members who joined the Club this summer and urge them to take advantage of all the Club has to offer -- swimming, handball, rowing, and social activities.

MARTIN BRENNEKE, is a St. Ignatius student who was sponsored by Stan Rybicki.

ANTHONY SHERIDAN, a trackman, was sponsored by Ray Belluomini, and Frank Mennucci.

Roy Hooper and Frank Grady brought in ROGER MERRILL.

WILLIAM PFISTER was introduced by Bob Johnson and Stan Rybicki.

Dr. Fred Howard and Rod Tinling sponsored DANIEL MURPHY, a U. S. government bank examiner.

MERLE HONAKER, a teacher from San Mateo who is a top-flight swimmer, was sponsored by Charlie Sava.

JAMES LEE, winner of previous South End Gate swims, has elected to paddle under the Dolphin banner. Jim was introduced by Dr. Bill McIvor and Hank Fourcade.

EARLE SYVERSEN was introduced by Don Kane. Aldo Cuneo sponsored ROBERT CERVARICH.

CHESTER CARLSEN, a fireman, was introduced by Tom Troneum and Stan Rybicki.

MELVIN HENRY was sponsored by Bill Campbell and George DeGear.

Doctor Fred Howard and Dan Murphy signed for ROBERT MOORE.

WILLIAM E. PFISTER was introduced by Roy Hooper and Frank Grady.

THOMAS KELLY and DINO LAVEZZO entered the Dolphin roster at the last meeting.

DOLPHIN BOOSTERS STILL NEEDED

If you enjoy reading the Log and this particular Golden Gate Swim edition you can do your Club a financial service by becoming a DOLPHIN BOOSTER. Printing costs for a regular edition run \$112.50 per month. You can recognize that the Club needs the financial support from the ads and the Booster List.

Lifemembers and regular members -- a five dollar bill sent to our Financial Secretary, Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street, will make you a DOLPHIN BOOSTER.

Club car stickers may be purchased from Frank Mennucci.

Hirsch and Price handles the official Club sweat shirts.

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

About this time of year most of the talk around the clubhouse is about swimming. While on the subject, let's not forget a guy by the name of Paul Silvester.

Since joining the Club in 1930 Paul has negotiated the Gate some 30 times including several Chronicle beach to beach swims which were done the hard way. 1931 saw Paul swimming from the Dolphin Club around Alcatraz and back in one hour and 47 minutes. Then again in 1955 he made another trip around the "Rock" and this time he was accompanied by another Dolphin, Joe Mares, who met him after he rounded the island. In 1936, on a lovely sunny afternoon when many of the members were around the Club, who comes swimming in the Cove but Paul. When the gang asked, "Where are you swimming from?" Paul answered, "Sausalito". Many of us won't forget that feat. In the pilot boat were his old pal, the late Henry Lunardino and his son Walter, together with Cas Holm and Tiny Cervelli.

About six every morning you will find Paul swimming with his old sidekick Ted Monell.

Just for diversion Paul shoots a mean game of golf and recently placed 9th in the Examiner hole-in one tournament winning \$250 in merchandise.

Our hats off to Paul Silvester, a real Dolphin. Good luck in the coming Gate Swim, Paul.

CHRISTINE HOWARD CHOSEN MISS GOLDEN GATE SWIM

Lovely Christine Howard, 16 year old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Fred Howard has been chosen "Miss Dolphin Golden Gate Swim" of 1958.

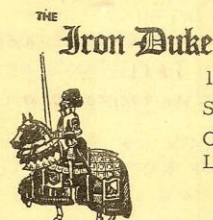
Christine is a junior at Washington High School. She will be rooting for her dad who will be making his second Gate swim.

RELAX SWIM -- BOAT PARADE COLUMBUS DAY, SUN., OCT. 10

Dolphins! Keep Sunday, October 10, open on your calendar. This is the date of the Columbus Day Program at Aquatic Park and the Dolphins will participate with a Club relay swim and a parade of all the club boats, canoes, and paddleboards which will form a parade and escort Columbus' arrival.

Can we count on YOU to man the boats? Be on deck at noon.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA
BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET
SAN FRANCISCO
Cocktails -- Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets
Your Host
DUKE DUFUIS

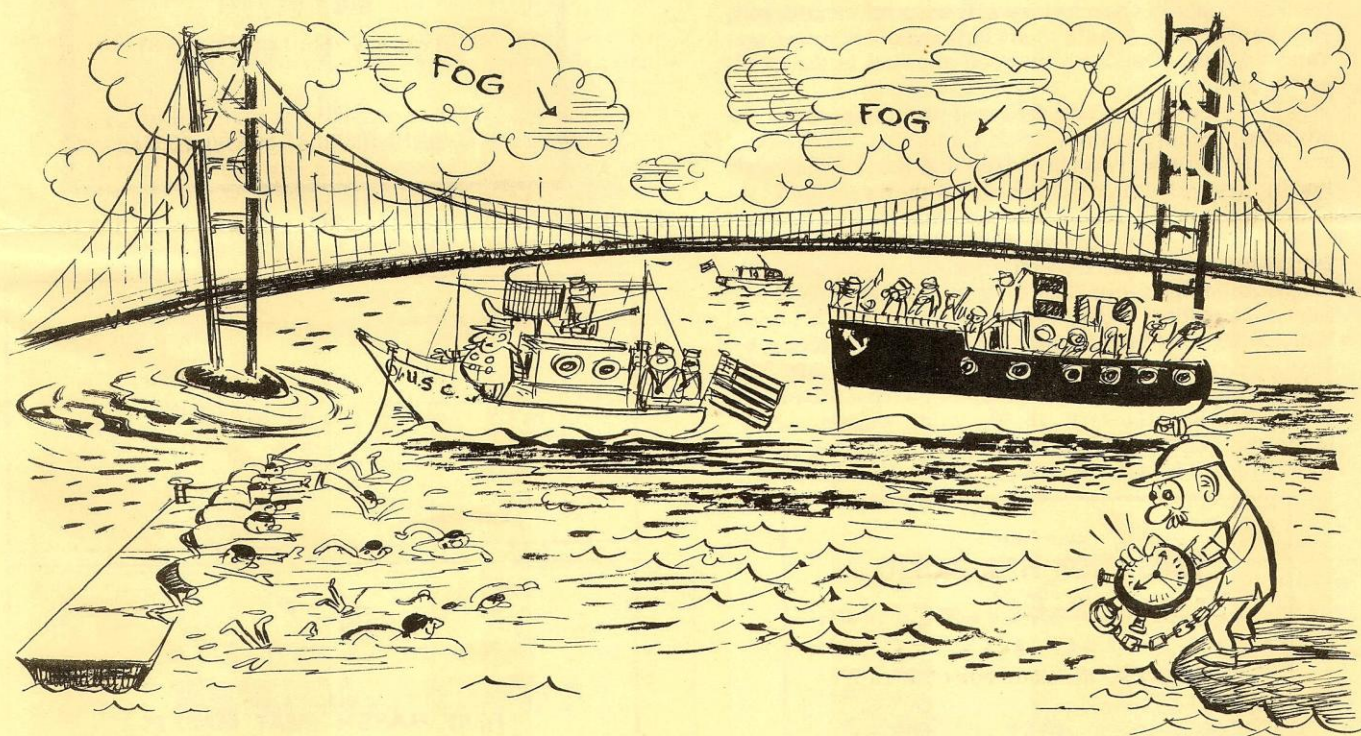
42nd ANNUAL GOLDEN GATE SWIM ROSTER

Compiled by Don Kane

Notice to all swimmers -- the number appearing in front of your name is your official swimming number. You are to paint it on your swimming cap and are to call your number to the judges on the Lime Point Rock when you finish.

1. WAYNE ALEXANDER, devoted family man as well as a consistent swimmer, has been swimming the Gate since 1934.
2. DON BAGGIANI, Past President, popular Club member who has 17 Gate Swim crossings to his credit.
3. BILL BISARO, First Gate Swim. Swam the Raccoon Straits.
4. RICHARD BRUHNS, will be making his second Gate Swim crossing today and should be in the top ten.
5. LEON BRUMLEY, Pacific Coast sculling champion. Primarily a rowing enthusiast who has been coached by Tom Troneum.
6. JOE BRUNO, one time top Dolphin Club swimmer, who is still feared in ruff water.
7. SAL CANNIZZARO, smooth backstroker who has a strong vocal support from mamma Cannizzaro.
8. VINCE CANNIZZARO, improving! Placed high in the Raccoon Straits Swim.
9. ED DeCOSSIO, recently rowed to Sacramento from the Dolphin Club to celebrate the opening of the California State Fair.
10. ALDO CUNEO, keeps in very good physical condition by making use of all club equipment.
11. ED CURTIS, San Francisco policeman who in addition to swimming, still finds time to compete in gymnastics competition.
12. BOB DEMO, good competitor and always strong. Showed a lot in the recent Raccoon Straits Swim.
13. DAVE DYC, San Francisco life guard. Takes part in comedy diving acts.
14. HARRY FIELDS, one of the fastest of the senior members of the club. Also proud papa of two month old baby girl, his second child.
15. HANK FOURCADE, starting his senior year at Stanford this semester. Member of the varsity swim team in his sophomore and junior year.
16. JOE FLAHAVEN, winner of the Aquatic Park Handicap Swim. He is one of the most respected life guards in San Francisco.
17. JAY FRITZ, St. Ignatius graduate headed for M.I.T. Set a new S. F. High School butterfly record in June.
18. KENNETH GAAL, Ken is a sophomore at Pacific Lutheran College, making his fourth swim.
19. PHIL GAAL, a recent U. C. graduate, who was commissioned an ensign and was married in June.
20. ROGER GAAL, now working with his father at electrical engineering.
21. STEVE GAAL, III, a medical student at the University of California.
22. STEVE GAAL, Jr., papa Steve of the Gaal clan, is a Past President of the Dolphin Club.
23. GENE GAYNOR, determined to make top ten today. Placed sixth in the Raccoon Straits Swim.
24. DICK HACKETT, when Dick is in shape he is hard to beat.
25. LEIF HATLEN, a student at George Washington High. Leif is an active member of the Club.
26. TERRY HAYES, on Stanford swimming team. Has finished close to top.
27. JIM HEALY, teacher at Sonoma Union High. Should be up there with the young'ns!
28. ROY HITCHCOCK, keeps in good condition. Loves his dip in Bay.
29. HARRY HONAKER, Harry, just 4 seconds behind Don Kane in the Raccoon Straits Swim. Should be Dons' biggest threat and like Don, Harry is coached by Charles Sava.
30. DR. FRED HOWARD, making his second swim. Daughter Christine will reign as "MISS GOLDEN GATE SWIM 1958".
31. ELMER HUBACHER, has at least 10 Gate Swims to his credit.
32. BOB JOHNSON, has been training regularly with Joe Flahaven at the new Balboa Park Pool.
33. DOM JULIO, questionable starter this year.
34. DON KANE, two time winner of the Gate Swim. Wife Marion is now coaching S. F. Merionettes Synchronized Swim Team.
35. KEVIN KEITH, former student body officer at University of California.
36. PETE KRUGER, Pete will make his second Gate crossing today.
37. TED LAMBERTSON, Ted is a top-notch sprinter but has never been tested in a race such as today's.
38. DINO LANDUCCI, JR., first Gate Swim. Stroke on Pacific Coast championship fours, '49-'52.

39. JIM LEE, has won Gate Swims under South End colors. First Dolphin swim.
40. BILL LIGHT, a Lincoln High Graduate. Bill could possibly break into the top ten today.
41. JOE MARES, owns Lambros restaurant. Loves to swim.
42. ED MacKAY, does most of his training at the Olympic Club.
43. BILL McIVOR, four time winner of the Gate Swim making his seventh swim.
44. PAUL MELEE, another questionable starter due to his absence from the Cove Handicap and Raccoon Straits Swims.
45. GENE MESSERSCHMIDT, a San Francisco Police officer making his first Gate Swim today.
46. TED MONELL, a Golden Gate Swim without Ted would seem incomplete.
47. JOEL MORRISS, you can look for Joel to swim extra hard today, for he is to be accepted into the Air Force on the 26th of September.
48. BILL PERRASSO, it will be hard for Bill to beat Bob Johnson which has been his aim!
49. CHARLES PRUETT, is always in the top half of the finishers.
50. CLIFF QUIST, Cliff, is in good shape this year. Also placed third in the Cove Handicap Swim.
51. TOM ROSEN, Tom has been Life Guarding at Healdsburg this summer, so he should be in tip top shape.
52. CHARLES SACKETT, handball enthusiast who swims for pleasure.
53. WALT SCHNEEBELI, improved much over last year. Was second in the Cove Handicap Swim.
54. PAUL SILVESTER, has made twenty-eight Golden Gate crossings.
55. TOM TRONEUM, Club rowing coach, receives much pleasure from athletic activities such as this. Father of two lovely daughters.
56. HECTOR VALENCIA, Progressing after four years with the Air Force, Hector has been steadily improving this year.
57. JAMES VANYA, Oarsman, turned swimmer. Took part in competitive rowing in Europe before coming to the U. S.
58. FRANK VITELLI, second Gate crossing for Frank today.
59. VOLDI WALTER, this boy certainly has the Dolphin Club spirit.
60. JOE WEISS, Joe also made the excursion to Sacramento via the Sacramento River. Joe is out to take old man Troneum today!
61. BILL PFISTER, Bill is a new member who will be making his first Gate swim.



WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor



Skipper LES HENDRY had mutiny on his hands when he took the double-oared skiff, the James Farrell, on a 105 mile row from the Dolphin clubhouse to Sacramento on Friday, August 29. JOE WEISS and ED de-COSSIO were willing and able enough hands when they left Aquatic Park on an incoming tide and fair breeze Friday, August 29, at 7 p.m. On the 20 mile stretch between Antioch and Steamboat Landing the wind died, the tide ebbd, and the sun beat down mercilessly. Joe and Ed abandoned their oars and took a long cool dip. This happened several times along the way and it took seven hours to reach Steamboat Landing.

Les must have gotten things under control because they reached Wheeler Landing in Sacramento Sunday, August 31, at 9:30 a.m.

The three Dolphins were televised on Channel 13 on their arrival.

More about these big strong Dolphins..... ROGER and KEN GAAL cycled from San Francisco to Monterey on their Italian bikes last month and then climbed 28 miles to the top of Mt. Whitney. Then up to the Lair of the Bear in Pinecrest, down to Sacramento to see the State Fair, and home again in time for the Raccoon Straits Swim.

Congratulations to MR. & MRS. JOAQUIN CLAVERIA on the birth of a son, Kevin Michael, September 5. Weight 8 lbs. 6 oz.

A hearty Dolphin "get well" to ANITA DAY HUBBARD who is in St. Joseph's Hospital with an injured back.

HANDICAP SWIM (Continued)

receive for the next handicap swim. Your finish in the Raccoon and Gate swims will also be considered. Jim Vanya, last year's most improved swimmer advanced 1 min. 30 sec. for his good showing in the Golden Gate Swim.

The steak lunch that followed was tops, about 50 attended. Stan Rybicki, Nick Camarda, Carl Noto, and Mert Kelleher who prepared and served the steak lunch, justly deserved the big hand they received.

Results, with actual times shown, were: Joe Flahaven, 22:40; Walt Schneebeli, 35:30; Cliff Quist, 29:52; Jim Healy, 30:45; Don Kane, 19:49; Roger Gaal, 31:35; Leon Brumley, 32:15; Hector Valencia, 22:15; Hank Fourcade, 20:55; Harry Fields, 29:15; James Vanya, 33:21; Gene Gaynor, 28:35; Roy Hitchcock, 35:20; Harry Honaker, 22:50; Ed Curtis, 34:05; Ted Monell, 36:24; Ted Lambertson, 24:30; Paul Silvester, 37:30; Richard Hackett, 26:30; Voldi Walter, 40:55; Ken Gaal, 40:30; Sal Cannizzaro, 47:05; Joe Carrol, 45:30; Merle Honacher, 52:25; Frank Vitelli, 55:00.

WORLD FAMOUS

EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1925
Dr. A. W. Ward	Handball Player	Joined 1904

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

In Memory of
JOSEPH B. KEENAN
Aged 90
A Dolphin Member For 66 Years

LOUIS A. DELUCCHI
Proprietor

Telephone
MISSION 7-5254

VIRGINIA MEAT MARKET

Specializing in
HIGH GRADE MEATS

3322 MISSION STREET
Bet. 29th & 30th Sts.

SAN FRANCISCO 10,
CALIFORNIA

FISH

POULTRY



G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
GRaystone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23

Music by Monte Verde Trio

APPRECIATION

We wish to express our appreciation for the assistance of the United States Coast Guard who patrolled the course.

We also wish to thank Mr. Thomas Crowley, Jr., for the services rendered by the Crowley Tug Boat Company whose boat we used as the swimmers' boat.

No Golden Gate Swim could be complete without the assistance of the South End Rowing Club who provided boats and pilots.

WINNERS OF FORMER GOLDEN GATE SWIMS

1917 Dr. Koch	1936 John McManus
1918 Ben Derham	1937 Jack Reynolds
1919 Kewpie Kiernan	1938 Jack Reynolds
1920 No Swim	1939 Jack Reynolds
1921 Syd Foster	1940 Jack Reynolds
1922 Syd Foster	1941 Jack Reynolds
1923 Leo Purcell	1942-1945 No Swim
1924 Syd Foster	1946 Jack Reynolds
1925 Howard McGovern	1947 Ray Carmassi
1926 George McMillan	1948 Ray Carmassi
1927 Charles Sava	1949 Ray Carmassi
1928 Jack Sieber	1950 Ray Carmassi
1929 Bill Egan	1951 Ray Carmassi
1930 Bill Egan	1952 Bill McIvor
1931 Buster Olds	1953 Bill McIvor
1932 Buster Olds	1954 Bill McIvor
1933 Buster Olds	1955 Bill McIvor
1934 John McManus	1956 Don Kane
1935 Dick Rittger	1957 Don Kane



DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club,
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

Volume 10, Number 9

October, 1958

San Francisco, Calif.

ANNUAL OLD TIMERS' DINNER, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22



Don Kane, winner of the Golden Gate Swim, who broke his previous record with a time of 19 min. 48 seconds, receives his trophy from lovely Miss Christine Howard, who reigned as "Miss Golden Gate Swim" of 1958.

DINNER COMMITTEES CHOSEN

Co-chairmen Carl Noto and Bud Sterling have announced the following committees for Old Timers' Nite:

Entertainment Chairman -- Nick Camarda, Leo LaRocca, Jackie LaRocca.

Reception Committee -- Herb Derham, Lawton Hughes, Cliff Quist, Stan Rybicki, and Bud Sterling.

Decoration Committee -- George DeGear, Charles Sackett, Ray Morino, Dom Anzalone, Carl Luders, John Duignan, Tim O'Shea, and Sal Cannizzaro.

Cuisine Chef -- Andy Dunne, Carl Noto, Mert Kelleher, Paul Silvester, and Stan Rybicki.

Art and sketches -- Mario Guevara.

Refreshments -- Frank Mennucci, Vince Cannizzaro, and Ray Belluomini.

Admissions Chairman -- Don Baggiani.

Dining Room -- Roger Gaal, Kenneth Gaal, Bob Demo, Dennis Silvester, and Ray Belluomini, Jr.

Publicity -- George Lineer, San Sancimino, and Roland Demarais.

Local cracked crab -- Scotty Tarantino.

OLD TIMERS!

Be a Dolphin Booster

Mail a \$5.00 check to Stan Rybicki
3340 Buchanan Street

56 LIFE MEMBERS HONORED

"Bigger and better than ever this year," say Carl Noto and Bud Sterling who are planning the Annual Old Timer's Dinner slated for Saturday, November 2, (note the change in date) at the Club.

Chef Andy Dunne is prepared for a busy job in the galley. One-half roasted chicken will be the main course. By popular demand Scotty Tarantino will supply the cracked crab. Ante Pasta, salad, and spaghetti will also be served. The tab? A paltry \$2.50.

The dinner is in honor of the fifty-six men who hold the status of life membership which is conferred when a man has attained 25 years of membership in good standing. Life membership certificates will be presented to Joe Bruno and Bob Oakley. Bob has won medals rowing in the four-oared Shells in the 1930's. Joe Bruno is a veteran of a score of Gate Swims. SPECIAL RECOGNITION TO 45 YEARS OF MEMBERSHIP.

Twelve Dolphins will receive special recognition for having attained 45 years or more of membership. They include Dr. A. W. Ward, who joined in 1904, with 54 years of membership; Hector Giuntini, 49 years; Romeo Rocca, 49 years; Jerome White, 49 years; Frank Bordenave, 48 years; Henry Kanter, 48 years; Ralph McKay, 48 years; Bill Giovannoni, 47 years; Louis DeLucchi, 46 years; Dr. Guido Pera, 46 years.

Roy Bauer and Syd Foster are the youngsters who join the 45 years of membership class.

Nick Camarda, entertainment chairman, has not divulged his surprises for the evening but we expect to have Leo and Jackie LaRocca on deck for the big evening.

So what are you waiting for? White, phone, or wire Bud Sterling for reservations now!

COCKTAILS 6:00 P.M.

DINNER 7:00 P.M.

MENU

Ante pasta	Salad	Cracked Crab	Spaghetti
	one-half roast chicken		
Chef: Andy Dunne			Tab \$2.50



Clip and mail to: BUD STERLING, 1445 Green Street.
Dear Bud,

Sign me up for the Dinner. Wouldn't miss it!

Name _____

VOTE FOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE. ELECTION WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 8 P.M.



Forty-six Dolphins pose before they enter the Briney in the Club's 42nd Gate Swim September 21.

AROUND THE COVE

WITH DON KANE



This year's tie infested swim drove the officials crazy with four photo finishes. There is seldom a tie in this sort of swim. Tom Rosen and Rich Bruhns fought it out for 7th place, but neither of the boys could shake the other for the entire distance. Jim Healy and Bob Johnson battled for the 15th place and just 35 seconds later the Gaal brothers, Roger and Steve, III saw that they were going to finish close so they joined hands for the finish. Paul Silvester and Ted Monell, who train together early in the morning by making the rounds about the cove, tied for the 29th position. Hank Fourcade was second in 20:36 and Harry Honaker third, in 21:13.

There were some surprises this year. Cliff Quist and Wayne Alexander must have had transparent fins on, for they placed a high 11th and 13th respectively. It was good to see Harry Fields coming up the ladder again. As usual, Joe Bruno was right up there. Hector Valencia was fourth and is steadily getting back into the shape he was in before joining the Air Force. Joe Flahaven placed fifth which is remarkable for he has had no competitive swimming experience before joining the Dolphin Club. All in all, this was a remarkable swim thanks to Lawton Hughes. Without Lawton's expert timing of the jump-off, the 42nd Annual Golden Gate outing would not have been the success it was.

WHY WE HAVE SUCCESSFUL SWIMS

Teamwork made the success of our Gate Swim. Carl Notodid an excellent job preparing for the refreshments and collecting tickets on the spectator's boat. Nick Camarda was tops as announcer.

Bouquets to Lawton Hughes, who picked the tide, to Stan Rybicki who solicited the trophies and made arrangements for the Coast Guard and to George Lineer, publicity.

More orchids to George DeGear who worked on the piloting and to all the pilots who paddled after stray swimmers.

Well done, Mrs. John Boles, who worked in the galley with Bud Sterling, and to Mrs. Sterling ("Sugar-foot") who sold refreshment tickets. Nice going Vince LaRocca and Nick on refreshments. Fine work, Roy Morino, Dom Anzalone, and Jack Rousseau.

Thanks to our timers, Marion Olson, Ed Olson, and Mert Kelleher.

LOUIS A. DELUCCHI
Proprietor

Telephone
MISSION 7-5254

VIRGINIA MEAT MARKET

Specializing in
HIGH GRADE MEATS

3322 MISSION STREET
Bet. 29th & 30th Sts.

SAN FRANCISCO 10,
CALIFORNIA

ELMER C. GUNTHER

BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

THE
Iron Duke



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET
SAN FRANCISCO
Cocktails -- Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host
DUKE DUPUIS

ELECTION OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 8:00 P.M. SWIM MOVIES SLATED

The general membership is urged to attend the meeting, Wednesday, November 18, at 8:00 P.M., for the election of the Nominating Committee.

The Club Constitution reads as follows:

Article VI, Section 6. A committee of five members elected by the Club one month previous to the election of officers, shall constitute a Nominating Committee in this Constitution and By-Laws and the above mentioned committee shall send by mail, through the secretary, to each member the list of officers nominated by them, at least three weeks previous to the annual meeting.

Section 7. The ticket submitted by the committee shall be known as the Regular Ticket.

Section 8. Any ten (10) members in good standing shall have the power to and may, offer a ticket or tickets in opposition, provided they file the same with the secretary at least two (2) weeks previous to the election and a copy of which shall also be mailed to each member with the meeting notice by the secretary with the names of the sponsors.

Completing their 1957 terms are: President, Charlie Yeager; Vice President, Carl Noto; Treasurer, Frank Mennucci; Financial Secretary, Stan Rybicki; Captain, George DeGear; Recording Secretary, Nick Camarda; Director, Don Baggiani; Director, Roland Demarais; Director, Tim O'Shea.

Lawton Hughes and Tom Troneum complete the Board of Directors and have another year to serve.

Movies of the 1958 Golden Gate Swim are planned for the evening. If you are truly interested in your Club, you will come down and vote.



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Handball Player	Joined 1904

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988



Don't the Gate swimmers look in great shape after their hot showers?

WORLD FAMOUS

EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON

FORT MASON MEAT MARKET

CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
Graystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

Volume 10, Number 10

November, 1958

San Francisco, Calif.

RESERVATIONS POUR IN FOR ANNUAL OLD TIMERS' DINNER



Jackie, Leo, and Vince LaRocca tune up for Old Timers' Dinner, Saturday, November 22.

HANDBALL TROPHIES TO BE AWARDED AT OLD TIMERS' DINNER

By Tim O'Shea

The distribution of trophies to the winners of our 1958 Handball Tournaments will take place at the Old Timers' Dinner on Saturday evening, November 22.

Trophies will be awarded the following players: Joe Scarpa, Don Baggiani, Vince LaRocca, Dino Landucci, Jr., Charles Sackett, Dom Tarantino, John McCartney, Ray Belluomini, Jr., Joaquin Claveria, Tony Tarantino, Pat Schofield, Marvin Green, and Bill Perasso.

All players who participate in our 1958 tournaments should try to be in attendance. Bud Sterling and Carl Noto, co-chairmen of Old Timers' Night, have gone all out to make this one of the finest affairs in the history of the Dolphin Club.

Call Bud Sterling for Reservations Now
GR 4-9629 or PR 5-4928

Reservations close Wednesday, November 19

Cocktails 6:00 P.M. Dinner 7:00 P.M.

MENU

Antipasto Salad Cracked Crab Mustaccioli
One-half Roast Chicken

Tab \$2.50



Galley Crew stands by for big night. Stan Rybicki, John Mooney, who may fly in from "Mayheeco"; Chef Andy Dunne; Linda Troneum, who will be replaced by Mert Kelleher who is not as pretty; and President Carl Noto.

WILL ANDY DUNNE TAKE SPECIAL ORDERS?

Chef Andy Dunne has alerted his galley crew to stand by for a busy evening Saturday, November 22, for the sign-up list to date shows over 100 members will be in attendance for the Annual Old Timers' Dinner.

In deference to the many Italian members -- Bill and Joe Giovannoni, Dr. Guido Pera, "Ham" DeLucchi, Romeo Rocca, Hector Giuntini, Scotty Tarantino, Ray and Jim Morino, Dom Anzalone, et al, Andy has agreed to cook mustaccioli. But now there is a rebellion for Carl Luders is demanding Wienerschnitzel und Sauerbraten, Voldi Walter is asking for borscht, Archie Helenius won't attend unless Finlia (yogurt and fish) is served, Jim Vanya and the Gaal clan are holding out for Hungarian goulash, Tom Troneum insists on smoked salmon belly, Frank Bordenave wants fried snails, and a whole contingent of Irishmen -- Herb Derham, Mike Desmond, Vince Kelly, Pat Schofield, Jim Flannery, etc., say corned beef or nothing!

Co-chairmen Carl Noto and Bud Sterling are working on the final details to make this a memorable evening. Carl has engaged some feature entertainment attractions -- Ronnie Draper and Hermie King of the 365 Club will be down.

Leo LaRocca with his guitar and Jackie with his accordion will leave the Corner for a while and do some serenading.

Bob Demo will act as maitre d' and will be assisted by a very polished staff of waiters -- Roger Gaal, Ray Belluomini, Jr., Gene Gaynor, Dennis Silvester, and Bob Johnson.



Lawton Hughes' "Blues" tries to catch the Dolphin "Whites" coxswained by Bud Sterling Columbus Day.

RESULTS OF COLUMBUS DAY ACTIVITIES

By Don Kane

The Dolphin Club "Blues" swimming relay team decisively defeated the Dolphin Club "Whites" in the opening event of the Columbus Day activities on Sunday, October 12. Winning time for the "Blues" was 16 mins. 39 secs. Members of the winning team were: Roger Gaal, Joe Bruno, Rich Bruhns, Bob Johnson, Bob Demo, and Hector Valencia. The Whites consisted of Joe Flahaven, Tom Troneum, Gene Gaynor, Dr. Fred Howard, and Cliff Quist. It must be said that the hero of the event was Joe Flahaven for he had to swim two laps because of the odd number of swimmers competing.

In the paddle board event first place was closely contested between Joe Flahaven and Gene Gaynor with Flahaven coming out on top. Hector Valencia was third and Dennis Silvester, fourth.

The four-oared barge race saw the "Whites" come from behind and win going away. The "White" crew of Tom Troneum, Joe Bruno, Jim Vanya, Dick Hackett, with Bud Sterling as coxswain, really put the pressure on to take the lead away from the "Blues" at the 220 yard turn and win with ease. In the singles race it was a different story. Leon Brumley was defeated by a very close margin by Roger Gaal. Some club rowing officials claim this was a mild upset.

The San Francisco Rowing Club rotated events with the Dolphin Club to make the two hours given the rowing clubs attractive to the spectators.

Rowing and swimming medals will be awarded at the Old Timers' Dinner.

ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS!

General Meeting

For Election Of Nominating Committee
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 8:00 P.M.

Club movies to be shown



Don Kane, in public address stand above introduced Club relay teams during Columbus Day pageant. Top: Dolphin "Whites": Cliff Quist, Tom Troneum, Dr. Fred Howard, Gene Gaynor, Joe Flahaven and Pres. Carl Noto. Bottom: "Blues": Joe Bruno, Bob Demo, Hector Valencia, Bob Johnson, Richard Bruhns, and Roger Gaal.

BOOSTER LIST GROWS

Bud Sterling and Chet Wing have joined the BOOSTER LIST. Life Member, Regular Member, swimmer, oarsman, handball player, or Past President -- help us keep the Log in print. Send a five to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street.

LOUIS A. DELUCCHI
Proprietor

Telephone
MISSION 7-5254

VIRGINIA MEAT MARKET

Specializing in
HIGH GRADE MEATS

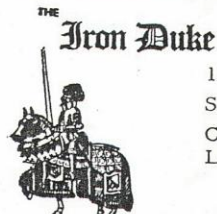
3322 MISSION STREET
Bet. 29th & 30th Sts.

SAN FRANCISCO 10,
CALIFORNIA

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOUGLAS 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET
SAN FRANCISCO
Cocktails -- Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host
DUKE DUPUIS

LIFE MEMBERS 45 YEARS AND OVER TO RECEIVE SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Twelve of our 56 Life Members can boast Dolphin membership of 45 years and over will receive special recognition at the Old Timers' Dinner on November 22.

DR. A. W. WARD, who joined the Club in 1904, can boast the longest term of membership of 54 years. Dr. Ward has won many honors in the field of dental surgery having been awarded the Ville de Paris Medal in July of this year and having been recently made a Fellow of the International College of Dentists. In his younger days, Dr. Ward was an excellent swimmer, diver, and handball player.

HECTOR GIUNTINI, nicknamed "The Mountain Lion", has 49 years membership. It is said Hector had a pair of special oars built to suit his powerful frame.

ROMEO ROCCA, 49 years membership, was an all-around athlete who played a great game of handball, rowed, and was an excellent swimmer and diver.

JEROME WHITE, 49 years membership, is a San Francisco attorney. Jerome was an accomplished sculler and gave the singles skiff, which bears his name, to the Club.

FRANK BORDENAVE, 48 years membership, held the position of Boat Captain and was a good one. Frank did a bang-up job as chief pilot in the Golden Gate swims.

HENRY KANTER, 48 years membership, is a retired vice president of the Anglo California Bank. Henry is a Club Past President and was an accomplished handball player and Golden Gate swimmer. Henry also enjoyed rowing in his private skiff.

RALPH "Great to be Alive" MACKAY, 48 years membership, is said to hold the record for attendance of Club dinners. Ralph still enjoys his dip in the bay. On Sundays, Ralph use to row to Sausalito in the six-oared barge the "John Wieland".

BILL GIOVANNONI, SR., 47 years membership, is a Past President who ate and slept handball. Bill was also a rowing enthusiast. He organized and rowed in the "Italian" crew of the 1930's which had a running feud with Herb Derham's "Irish" crew. Bill was instrumental in obtaining the site and building the crew training quarters at Pier 54. The construction of the Keenan Room was also sparkplugged by Bill. Many of the Old Timers remember the afternoon feeds which Bill organized.

"HAM" DELUCCHI, 46 years membership, rowed #2 seat in the four-oared championship crews.

DR. GUIDO PERA, 46 years membership, rowed #3 in the crew with "Ham" Delucchi.

Both men won medals for winning the junior and



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Handball Player	Joined 1904
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling , DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

intermediate championship at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition in 1914. In that same year they won the State Championship at the Exposition. At Lake Merritt, 1915, they clinched the Pacific Coast four-oared senior Championship.

ROY BAUER, 45 years membership, was an excellent sprint swimmer.

SYD FOSTER, 45 years membership, was an excellent distance swimmer having won the Golden Gate Swim in 1924. Syd is a past Club Boat Captain and has been honored by having a pleasure boat bear his name. Today Syd is harbormaster at Sausalito Yacht Harbor.

AL FINLAYSON, a Life Member from Alameda, writes he would love to attend the Dinner, but illness will keep him home. Get well James!

WORLD FAMOUS


EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565



FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON

FORT MASON MEAT MARKET

CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
GRaystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



Official Bulletin of The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 10, NUMBER 11

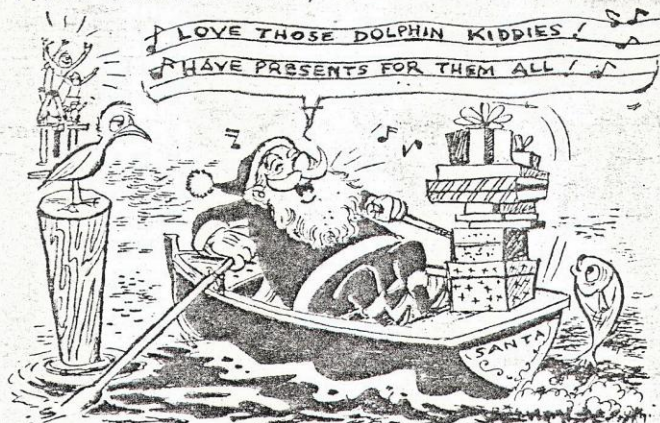
DECEMBER, 1958

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA



Honored Old Timers included: "Ham" Delucchi, Frank Bordenave, Romeo Rocca, Dr. Guido Ferra, Hector Giuntini. Bottom row -- Jerome White, Dr. A. W. Ward, Lawton Hughes, Syd Foster, and Henry Kanter.

SANTA IS COMING TO CLUB, TOM & JERRY PARTY SLATED SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21



Hey, boys and girls! Santa Claus is coming to town! Yes sir, he has loaded up a boat full of presents and will land right at the Dolphin Club dock for a big Christmas Party Sunday, December 21.

Santa will arrive at 2:00 p.m. and distribute his presents in the Staib Room.

But listen boys and girls, you must drop Santa's secretary a note and give him your name and age so he will have the correct gift for you. Clip out the form at the bottom of the page and mail it to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street.

If your parents are good, Tom and Jerries will be served to them after the Kiddies' Party.



They sang loudly at the dinner, if not well -- Leo LaRocca, Bud Sterling, Ray Morino, Lennie Gelardi, Roland Demarais. Bottom row -- Dino Landucci, Jr., Dominic Anzalone, Vince Kelly, John Boles and Frank Mennucci.

66TH HIKE AND OCEAN DIP SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14

Do you tell your friends you are a rugged Dolphin? Do you brag about your athletic exploits of swimming in the Bay or playing a fast three games of handball? If so, here is your chance to prove it... Roll out of your sack early Sunday, December 14 and be on deck for the 66th Annual Hike and Dip.

The hike will begin at 9:00 a.m. sharp from the clubhouse. At 11:00 a.m. we will arrive at the Ocean Beach for a nice, cool dunk in the Pacific.

After the dip, treat the lady to a delicious breakfast in the Clipper Room of the Cliff House (you were at the Old Timers' Dinner and she is due for a treat). Price -- \$2.75, tip included.

Photographers and newswriters from the local papers will be on hand so you will be able to point with pride at your picture the following Monday morning and say, "Shucks, it was a little cold, but it was nothing."

Clip and Mail to: Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street

Member's Name _____

-Children-

Name _____ Age _____ Name _____ Age _____
Name _____ Age _____ Name _____ Age _____



Some of the boys who assisted at the dinner were Bud Sterling, Dennis Silvester, Stan Rybicki, Joe Flahaven, Bob Johnson, Andy Dunne. Kneeling: Ray Belluomini, Jr., and Roger Gaal.

OLD TIMERS' DINNER BIG SUCCESS

One hundred and forty strong they gathered, Dolphins and their friends, to honor the Life Members at the Annual Old Timers' Dinner held at the Club last month.

Kudos are in order for Bud Sterling whose personal contact was largely responsible for the record turnout.

Noted for their agility with knife and fork the members kept their reputation intact by stowing away ten dozen cracked crab followed by paste and roast chicken.

Applauds go to Andy Dunne and his galley assistants Louie DeMartini, Stan Rybicki, Joe Giovannoni, Mert Kelleher and Jim Vanya.

There was plenty of snap and verve as Ronnie Draper of the 365 Club and Leo LaRocca, Jackie LaRocca, and Jack Robanser belted out the old favorites.

The gang was festive and noisy as they enjoyed talking and renewing old acquaintances. During the course of the evening handball trophies were presented by Tim O'Shea, as well as rowing and swimming medals. George Lineer, Chronicle writer, who has written reams of Dolphin copy, and Andy Dunne were presented Club pins for their exceptional service.

Attired in white jackets and black bow ties the bartenders and waiters which included Frank Mennucci, Ray Belluomini, Sr., Sal Cannizzaro, Vince Cannizzaro, Bob Demo, Bob Johnson, Roger Gaal, Dennis Silvester, and Joe Flahaven, were a picture of satorial splendor.

To all who served on committees, Carl Noto, Julius Chicca, Don Baggiani, George DeGear, Tim O'Shea -- well done!



Handball champs and runners-up receive trophies. Top row -- Tim O'Shea, Commissioner, Charlie Sackett, Joaquin Claveria, Dino Landucci, Sr., Ignatius Passantina, Don Baggiani, and Joe Scarpa. Bottom row -- John McCarthy, Marvin Green, Bill Perasso, Dino Landucci, Jr., "Sonny" Tarantino and Dominic Tarantino.

AROUND THE COVE WITH DON KANE

Ray Taft, Dolphin Clubber now coaching the San Mateo Marin Swim Team, has come up with something to be proud of. Ted Stickles, 16, a student at Hillsdale High, swam the Golden Gate from shore to shore in the record time of 20 min. and 24 secs.

This broke Walter Pomeroy's record of 20:44 set 44 years ago. Ted made the successful crossing on Columbus Day, October 12, accompanied by Ray.

Tom Troneum is keeping in shape during the winter months by training at Larsen Pool where daughter Karen is trying out for the Merionettes Synchronized Swimming Team coached by Marion Kane.

Frank Mennucci is now making plans for his long awaited trip to Italy in 1960. Frank will be in Rome for the Olympic Games and will remain in Europe for six months.

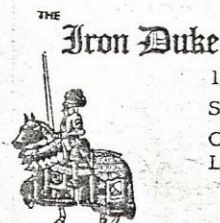


NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

If you wish to attend a real bang-up New Year's Eve Party for a nominal cost, make inquiries at the Club for securing tickets. Get them early because they go fast.

Nick Camarda, chairman, has announced the tab as \$18.00 per couple. This will include dancing, refreshments, and plenty of good food.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & EAY, INC.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA
BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET
SAN FRANCISCO
Cocktails -- Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets
Your Host
DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM



Ladies, why not a Christmas gift for that Dolphin in your life? Club pins may be purchased at Granat Bros for \$2.25 and up. Or a sweat shirt with Club insignia and his name may be had for \$3.35 from Hirsch & Price.

We are going to miss JOAN and HARRY FIELDS, who have moved to Indianapolis, Indiana.

Harry took an out of town membership. Don't stay away too long folks.

Stork Club: MR. & MRS. JIM MORINO expecting a 1959 model around the first of the year. . . . The Campbells are coming -- MR. & MRS. ROBERT CAMPBELL will be changing diapers early this spring.

PAT SCHOFIELD recently recovered from a back operation and is now swimming in the Bay.

MR. & MRS. SCOTTY TARANTINO toured Las Vegas last month and received gracious hospitality from BROTHER MAX WEBER.

The BOOSTER LIST is growing with the Life Members really climbing aboard! This month we are happy to add GINO LUCCHESI, RALPH MACKAY, ROMEO ROCCA, WALLY SMITH, and JEROME WHITE. SYD FOSTER has renewed his listing for 1959. With support like this, we hope to put a big dent in our monthly printing bill. Let's hear from some more of you -- a five to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan will do it.

Nice cooperation between the Dolphins and the South Enders. They permitted us to use their gas range for our dinner and we allowed them the use of our court for a handball tournament.

May we wish you all a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A PROSPEROUS AND HAPPY-NEW YEAR!

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

Looking over the list of swimmers that finished the Golden Gate swim last September you will run across the name of Tom Troneum. Well, Tom is one member who carries out the traditions of the Club, namely swimming and rowing, but it is almost a cinch bet that his first love was rowing, for in 1935 down in San Diego, he won the junior single shell championship of the Pacific Coast. The victory was quite an honor as he defeated oarsmen from the Alameda, Ariel, San Diego and South End boat clubs. Four years later, he won the lightweight championship at Lake Merced and also the senior championship although he was a natural lightweight weighing only 145 pounds. In his most recent victory, he stroked the winning crew on Columbus Day. On weekends, you will find Tom out at the Lake repairing the shells and coaching the newer members in the art of rowing both



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Joe Keenan	Club Benefactor	Joined 1892
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Handball Player	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

in singles and fours. At the present time, Tom is a director of the Club and his judgement in matters of administration have been most constructive. It might be mentioned that the whole Troneum family are Dolphin minded. Just last year, his lovely daughter, Linda, was named "Miss Golden Gate Swim."

Yes sir! The Dolphin Club needs more members like Tom Troneum.

LOUIS A. DELUCCHI
Proprietor

Telephone
MISSION 7-5254

VIRGINIA MEAT MARKET

Specializing in
HIGH GRADE MEATS

3322 MISSION STREET
Bet. 29th & 30th Sts.

SAN FRANCISCO 10,
CALIFORNIA

WORLD FAMOUS EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM

Also Broiled Steaks and Chops

DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF, SAN FRANCISCO. ORdway 3-9565



FISH



POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON FORT MASON MEAT MARKET CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
Graystone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 11, NUMBER 1

JANUARY, 1959

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

INSTALLATION DINNER DANCE SLATED SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21



PRES. CARL NOTO

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

We have had a hard climb to keep this wonderful Club of ours on top. I, the President, belong to three other clubs in this city. The Druids, Elks, and God-fathers Club. All these clubs, like our own, are always looking for good members to keep their organization going. The president and the board members need a helping hand from their members.

I have seen the past presidents come in and go out. They seem to fade out of the picture soon after their term of office terminates. I know these are good men and good Dolphins, otherwise they would not have been in the position of leadership. I ask this question, "Why do they forget the club that they once led?"

In 1960 Tom Troneum will be president of our Club. We know what a fine man he is, but will you help him uphold the office of presidency by keeping our Club on top?

I would like to express my thanks to the Board Members and to the members of the Dolphin Club for their wonderful support in 1958. For without your support it would not be possible to keep the Club the tremendous success that it is.

CARL NOTO NAMES COMMITTEES FOR 1959

Carl Noto has named the following committees for 1959:

House Committee — George DeGear, Tim O'Shea, Stan Rybicki, Frank Mennucci

Entertainment Committee — Nick Camarda, Mert Kelleher, Bud Sterling

Screening Committee — Carl Noto

Swimming Committee — Stan Rybicki, Don Kane, Frank Adams

Handball Committee — Ray Belluomini, Sr., Bob Mahoney, Mert Kelleher

Rowing Committee — Lawton Hughes, Tom Troneum, Leon Brumley

Locker Committee — Roger Gaal, George DeGear, Wieland Completion Committee — Leon Brumley

Phone Committee — Don Kane, Leon Brumley, Mert Kelleher, Cliff Quist

Other committees and additions will be made at a later date.

BOAT TRIP TO CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB

For one of the highlights on the Dolphin social calendar get a party of your friends together and join the gang at the Installation Dinner Dance to be held at the Corinthian Yacht Club, Tiburon, Saturday, February 21.

The Dolphins will gather at the clubhouse for cocktails at 6:00 p.m. After refreshments we will depart from the Harbor Tours dock at Fisherman's Wharf at 7:15 p.m. sharp for a moonlight boat ride to the Corinthian Yacht Club in Tiburon. Dinner will be served at about 8:30.

It's a terrific package deal — a round trip boat ride, dinner and dancing, tip included for \$6.00 per person.

Officers to be installed include: President, Carl Noto; Vice President, Tom Troneum; Financial Secretary, Stan Rybicki; Treasurer, Frank Mennucci; Recording Secretary, Don Kane; Captain, George DeGear; Lieutenant Captain, Tim O'Shea; Directors, Ray Belluomini, Sr., Leon Brumley, Roger Gaal, and Mert Kelleher.

Stan Rybicki, chairman, wishes to emphasize that you must get your tickets IN ADVANCE or make a reservation. Tickets may be secured from Stan, Carl Noto, or Frank Mennucci. Tables will be arranged for party groups.

MENU

Roast Beef Au Jus	Hors D'Oeuvres
Tossed Green Salad	Mashed Potatoes
Green Vegetables	Ice Cream

SCHEDULE

Cocktails at Club	6:00 p.m.
Harbor Tours boat departure	7:15 p.m.
Dinner at Corinthian Yacht Club	8:45 p.m.
Departure for San Francisco	1:00 a.m.

TICKETS

Stan Rybicki	WA 1-4845
Frank Mennucci	OR 3-6056
Carl Noto	JU 4-2355

HANDBALL TOURNAMENT MARCH 1

Deadline for sign-up for the singles handball tournament is February 21, '59.

CLASSES ARE

1st, 2nd, 3rd, and novice. Contact Ray Belluomini.



Dolphins romp and frolic in a very rough surf on the 66th Annual Hike and Dip last December. The chilly antics were televised on

KPIX. After the dip members and their guests breakfasted in the Clipper Room at the Cliff House.

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

When we speak of regular fellows, let's not overlook Wally Smith. Wally is now a Life Member having joined the Dolphin Club away back when he was working as an electrician on the Southern Pacific building.

He has always taken an active part in crew racing, handball, and swimming. When Wally was a member of the famous "let her run" crew, he slept in the boathouse with the rest of the crew and trained at six in the morning. The crew later represented the Club in the Coast championships at San Diego.

A clean living fellow, Wally has numerous Golden Gate swims to his credit, and to prove his good condition has been swimming daily throughout the winter.

No social affair would be complete without Wally. He has always been willing to do electrical work in the clubhouse. This is a member we can point to with pride as a regular fellow.

BOARD VACANCY FILLED BY RAY BELLUOMINI, SR.

The Board membership vacancy left by Tom Troneum when he became Vice President has been filled by Ray Belluomini, Sr. Ray will serve out

(CONTINUED IN COLUMN 2)

ELMER C. GUNTHER

DAILY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 BANSOME ST.

SAN FRANCISCO 4

AROUND THE COVE

With Don Kane

Roger Gaal, recently elected to the Board of Directors, will be inducted into the Air Force February 23, with his first stop to be Texas.

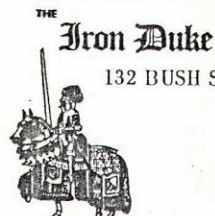


If you read the calendar, you may have noticed an Aquacade has been scheduled for April 25. This Aquacade will be sponsored by the Dolphin Club and jointly staged by the Club and the S. F. Merionettes Synchronized Swim Team. We are planning to use several acts using Dolphin Club members. This event is planned to include the entire family. If we receive enough support, we would like to make this another "Dolphin First" and an annual event. If you have any suggestions as to what you would like to see, please call me at JU 7-4088.

Tom's term which expires in December of 1959.

Lawton Hughes returns as a Director this year. Don Baggiani and Roland Demarais retired as Directors.

USE YOUR CLUB



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor



MAX WEBER dropped in from Las Vegas to see the Dolphins last month....Nice to see JIM FITZPATRICK up and around after a siege of illness at St. Joseph's Hospital.

FRANK ADAMS was the man who was instrumental in getting the Hike & Dip telecasted on KPIX.

A big Dolphin welcome to our new members: RICHARD DANNER, FRANK DRUM, CALHOUN HEWES, JOHN CRESCI, AND MICHAEL FARRELL.

The Club wishes to thank MRS EDWIN BALTHASAR who donated \$25.00 in memory of her late husband EDWIN BALTHASAR.

This month two Regular Members added their names to the Booster List - ARTHUR CARDENAS and EMILIO MASSUCCO. Arthur Cardenas is usually seen at every dinner and lunch while Emilio Massucco's perfect torso decorates the beach every sunny afternoon. BOB OAKLEY joined the Life Member List. Bob rowed in championship four-oared crews in the 1930's.

The success of the New Year's Eve party was due to the stalwart efforts of chairman NICK CAMARDA. Well done, Nick!

KIDDIES SWARM TO MEET SANTA

Dozens of kiddies swarmed the Dolphin dock last December to greet Santa Claus who came in Aquatic Park by rowboat with his sack of toys.

Frank Mennucci was still jovial, but a little weary when he removed his beard and costume at the end of the afternoon.

After the kiddies received their gifts parents toasted the season in Tom & Jerries.

Members of the committee included Joe Orlando, Tom Troneum, Carl Noto, and Scotty Tarantino.

MARIO GUEVARA CHOSEN "DOLPHIN OF THE YEAR"

Mario Guevara was chosen "Dolphin of the Year" by the Board of Directors and was presented the Anita Day Hubbard Award of a year's dues in absentia at the Cliff House breakfast last December.

The award, given annually, is based on service performed to the Club and outstanding Dolphin spirit shown.

WORLD FAMOUS

EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORDWAY 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocco	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Handball Player	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR

41 VAN NESS HEMLOCK 1-1230

SERVICES
under the direction
of
WARREN J. RINGEN
grandson of founder

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
 CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
Graystone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 11, NUMBER 2

MARCH, 1959

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

ROWING TURN-OUT AT LAKE MERCED SUNDAY MARCH 15

FORTY ENTER HANDBALL TOURNAMENT

By Ray Belluomini, Sr.

On Saturday, February 28 at 11:00 a.m. the 1959 singles handball tournament began with about 40 entries.

Newcomers are Bud Ruhland and Mike Farrell.

This year all classes will participate under the round robin rules. Any player who cannot play on schedule must make arrangements with his opponent for a playing date prior to the date scheduled, otherwise he will be charged with a defeat.

There will be 14 future champs in the novice class, and as it stands today, it is anybody's guess as to the ultimate winner as all players seem to be very evenly matched.

In the first class the competition should be very keen. Naturally, champ Scarpa will be out to defend the title, but he can expect plenty of tough games from such steady players as Don Baggiani, Dino Landucci, Sr., Joe Bruno, and foxy Ted Monell. Then, how about Vince LaRocca who is coming up after winning second class? Vince has been training diligently under the watchful eye of papa Leo; and you can rest assured that he will give a good account of himself in the upper class.

Charlie Sackett looks like the boy to beat in the second class. However, Eddie Giovannoni and Tony Sheridan will have something to say about that.

The improved playing of Jim Vanya makes him a dark horse in his class.

MARRIED MEN CHALLENGE BACHELORS

TO SOFTBALL GAME SUNDAY, APRIL 12

Batter up, play ball! The married men have issued a challenge to the single men to meet them in a softball game at Funston Playground, Sunday, April 12. Game time, 9:30 a.m.

After the game lunch will be served at Noon at the clubhouse. It is rumored that Frank Mennucci may cook chioppino. Reservations will be necessary. Sign up at the Club.

CALLING ALL POLLIWOGS

Marion Kane is inviting children of Dolphin Club members to try out for the aquacade that is scheduled for April 25th. The boys and girls must be thirteen years of age or under, be able to swim or at least be able to take care of themselves in the shallow water. Tryouts will be held at Larsen Pool, (19th

EVERYONE INVITED IN "ROW FOR FUN"

Sunday, March 15, has been designated as "Rowing Turn-Out Day" at Lake Merced.

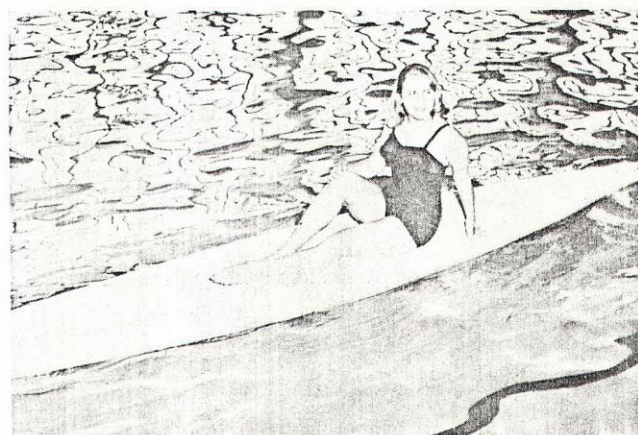
Coach Tom Troneum has sounded the call for all rowing prospects and even those who enjoy paddling for fun to be on deck. There will be sprints in the four-oar barges and the single skiffs. Everyone is invited for a big day of fun. The boats will be slid into the water at 1:00 p.m. at the upper lake.

The upper lake will be used this year since the training quarters were moved to clear the area for the new Sports Center which is under construction.

Families may avail themselves of the picnic grounds and barbecue pits which are adjacent to the upper lake.

The "old champs" have issued a challenge to the youngsters in the four-oar barge title. Bud Sterling is rounding up his crew of youngsters and is prepared to outfox Ray Morino who will coxswain the "old champs".

See you at the lake ... everyone rows!



Judie Buckley will demonstrate surf-board stunts at the DOLPHIN-MERIONETTES AQUACADE, Saturday, April 25, at the Larsen Pool. Any Dolphin interested in performing in the aquacade (the line forms to the right) may contact Don Kane.

Ave. at Wawona Sts.) on Wed., March 18 at 6:30 p.m.

Life member of the Dolphin Club, Charles Sava, will organize the youngsters into groups which will demonstrate the various steps in learning to swim from the beginning to advanced stages. Your child need not be an expert to qualify for the act.

INSTALLATION DINNER DANCE TOPS

Cooperating 100% the weather man provided the Dolphins with a beautiful moonlight night for the Installation Dinner Dance held at the Corinthian Yacht Club last month.

After refreshments at the Club the Dolphins boarded the Harbor Tours boat and cruised across the smooth Bay waters to Tiburon.

Over 100 members and their guests enjoyed a wonderful evening.

At table No. 1 President Carl Noto hosted with their ladies, Stan Rybicki, Tom Troneum, Don Baggiani, Tom White, and Leon Brumley.

Charlie Korelec and the other guests at Roy Hooper's table enjoyed a bottle of champagne, compliments of the Yacht Club, in honor of Roy's birthday.

Table No. 7 seemed to be having a barrel of fun. The table included a bunch of fun-loving young members with their ladies - Don Kane, Dick Hackett, Ted Lambertson, Ron Raeta, Joe Flahaven, Tom Flahaven, Bob Johnson, Gene Gayner, and Hector Valencia.

Dr. Howard Mallon had a party of seven guests.

Over at table 10 there was a real lively bunch and perhaps the smoothest dancers. With their ladies were Sal Cannizzaro, Vince Cannizzaro, Bill O'Brien, George DeGear, Ray Morino, Nick Camarda, Dom Anzalone, and George Wagstaff.

Others seen with their ladies were Bill Pfister, Joe Weiss, Bob Demo, Les Hendry, Cliff Quist, Mike Farrell, and Tom Gould.

Credit for this highly successful evening goes to Chairman Stan Rybicki, and his committee.

Did you miss this affair Brother Dolphin? Remember Ladies' Night at the Club, Saturday, May 9.

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

Throughout the years the Dolphins Club has had any number of good all-around athletes excelling in handball, rowing, and swimming.

A Life Member by the name of Louis ("Ham") Delucchi not only won trophies in rowing and handball, but also in boxing. The records show that Ham reached the finals in the middleweight division of the Far Western tournament only to lose on a split decision to the champion of the Olympic Club. Although the consensus at ringside thought he should have been declared the winner. Later, while serving with the Armed Forces in France in World War I, Ham, a terrific puncher with his left hand, scored numerous knockouts while winning all his service bouts.

Ham tried to impart some boxing skill to Andy Demo, but after a couple of set-tos with Kid Massey at the old Garibaldi Hall, Ham tossed his hands in the air and said, "What's the use", and Andy, known as "Kid Demo", went back to bowling.

Rowing came into the picture next and it can be said that Ham was a member of one of the best senior crews ever to represent the Dolphin Club. The picture in the Staib Room will attest to the many races and championships won.

Being a stickler for conditioning and hard training, Ham was an inspiration when the competition was the toughest. No doubt some of the victories can be attributed to his spirit and will to win.

Of course everybody loves to play handball and Ham was no exception, for he and his partners, Dr. Guido Pera, formed a formidable doubles team and have many trophies which they won while competing in first class.

Let's salute Ham Delucchi - a swell guy and a credit to amateur athletics and the Dolphin Club.

FIRST ROUND OF HANDBALL TOURNAMENT COMPLETED

First Class

Joe Scarpa defeated Joe Bruno. Lennie Gelardi defeated Tony Tarantino 21-7, 21-13. Don Baggiani defeated Ray Belluomini, Sr., 21-14, 21-9.

Second Class

Rudy Capriotti defeated Joaquin Clavaria 21-9, 21-12. Ed Gelardi defeated Gregg DeGear 21-1, 21-11.

Third Class

Jerry Clifford defeated Ray Belluomini, Jr.

Bob Demo defeated Mert Kelleher. John McCartney defeated Al Gragnani 21-13, 21-12.

Novice Class

Frank Grady defeated Marvin Green 21-9, 21-13. Mike Farrell defeated Dennis Silvester 21-9, 21-7. Al Delatorre defeated Bud Ruhland 21-13, 21-0. Bob Mahoney defeated Tom Gould 21-11, 21-13. Ak Delatorre defeated Rico Passantino 21-9, 21-16. Mike Farrell defeated Dominic Cannizzaro 21-9, 21-12.

ELMER C. GUNTHER

BAILY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

THE
Iron Duke

DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS



WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM The Editor

We are happy to welcome six new members into the Club. LYNN FRITZ was introduced by STAN RYBICKI and TED MONELL. ARCHIE HELENUS and ERNIE STRUBERG brought in two members - OKE JOHNSON and JAMES J. O'HARA. WILLIAM E. MEDIN was sponsored by his brother police officers ROY HOOPER and CHARLIE KORELEC. FRANK MENNUCCI and STAN sponsored LINO SCRIVANT, a S.F. fireladdie. PETER STEPHENSON was introduced by TOM TRONEUM and GEORGE DE GEAR. JAY FRITZ is back at Dartmouth College studying law. ROGER GAAL is stationed with the Air Force at Lackland Air Base, San Antonio, Texas.



HARRY HONAKER was recently called in the Service ... where you are Harry?

BOB MAHONEY was elevated to the sales force of Marin Dell. Bob is also an expectant father.

ANGELO LIGI is opening a new restaurant, "The Seven Hills" on California and Drumm.

Want to see your name in this column? Why not drop us a post card. We want items! Your editor's address is 4 Venus Court, Belvedere - Tiburon. Give us the news and we'll print it.

AROUND THE COVE With Don Kane

Hank Fourcade, senior Stanford University swimmer, won the 100 yard freestyle at the California vs. Stanford Swim meet Friday, February 27th. Hank only added to poor 'ol Cal's misery for Stanford sunk the Bears 80 to 15. It was Cal's worst licking in history Dolphin clubbers Dick Hackett, Ted Lamberton and myself are now training for the National YMCA swimming championships that are to be held at Colorado Springs, Colorado. We'll be representing the Oakland Y In the upcoming Aquacade there is going to be a dilly of a swim race. The race is open to Dolphin Club past presidents only. Already signed up are Stan Rybicki, Lawton Hughes, Roland Demarais and Frank Mennucci. Now, if only Andy Demo and Ed Dollard can be persuaded to enter it will really be hotly contested. Frank Adams, Ted Monell, and Herb Durham might make things interesting too! How about it boys? And how about some of you other past presidents? Let's really make this a night to remember. For information call me at JU 7-4088. For any of the children that wish to be in the show, there will be a tryout at Larsen Pool on Wednesday, March 18 at 6:30 p.m.



WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.
DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM
COCKTAILS
NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF, SAN FRANCISCO - ORday 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Handball Player	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR

REVERENT
funerals
by
Godeau
41 VAN NESS HEMLOCK 1-1230

SERVICES
under the direction
of
WARREN J. RINGEN
grandson of founder

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS
Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
GRaystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 11, NUMBER 3

APRIL, 1959

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

LADIES' NITE DINNER DANCE MAY 9

A lovely evening of dining and dancing is planned for the ladies at the Club, Saturday, May 9.

Stan Rybicki, chairman of Ladies' Night, has announced that there will be a good band on deck and plenty of delicious food. The entre will be a generous portion of roast beef. Cracked crab will also be served if available.

Bob Demo will head the staff of Dolphin waiters. In charge of refreshments will be Mert Kelleher.

Reservations must be made in advance; sign up at the Club, phone WA 1-4845, or fill in the reservation slip below and mail to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street.

The tab is \$3.00 per person.

BALL GAME AND LUNCH, SUN., APRIL 12

Married men, captained by Bud Sterling, have challenged the young single bucks to a softball game to be held at Funston Park, Sunday, April 12, at 10:00 a.m.

The married men are hoping that the Sunday morning hour will catch the single men out of shape. But team captain Ray Belluomini says he will have his nine men fielded and ready to play ball.

Charlie Sackett and Mario Guevara are the battery for the ball and chainers. Al Gragnani will chuck to Bob Demo for the bachelors.

After the game the ball players will adjourn to the Club for a crab chioppino feed at 12 noon. John Cresci, a new member, will do the cooking.

HANDBALL TOURNEY IN MID PLAY

By Ray Belluomini, Sr.

The singles handball tournament has reached the the half way mark and some very exciting matches have been played, particularly those slammed out by Bud Ruhland and Rico Passanissi (21-19, 21-19), and Ted Monell and Frank Silvestri (21-6, 14-21, 20-21). In this match, with Ted ahead 20-18, he "blew" a perfect set-up and Frank went on to win 21-20.

The match between Vince LaRocca and Don Bugabond was also a thriller. Don beat Vince 31-1, then Vince took the next one from Don 21-1. At this stage it was even money on the third, but Don's experience began to tell as he came from behind to win by a score of 21-14.

(CONTINUED ON PAGE TWO)

AQUA-FOLLIES SET FOR APRIL 25

By Don Kane



Karen Pastorino and Bradna Fisher are two of the lovelies who will appear in the Dolphin Aqua-Follies at Larsen Pool, Saturday, April 25, at 8:00 p.m.

The Dolphin Club Aqua-Follies featuring the San Francisco Merionettes synchronized swim team will be staged at Larsen Pool, 19th Ave. at Wawona St., on Saturday, April 25. The show begins at 8:00 P.M.

The Merionettes, who recently won several regional championships, placed 6th in the nation at the A.A.U. championship held at Long Beach in March. Among this group is an up and coming star, thirteen year-old Louella Sommers. With only one year's training Louella is ranked the 8th best synchronized swimmer in the nation.

Dolphins and their children will also participate in the Aqua-Follies. Tex and Wayne Alexander's children, Tom Troneum's daughter, Karen, and 2 1/2 year-old Candy Kane are among the youngsters scheduled to perform.

Most of the past presidents are already signed up for the past president's race. We are attempting to contact others.

Be prepared to laugh with Dolphin Comedians, Rich Bruhns, Gene Gaynor, Bob Demo, Joe Flahaven, and Bob Johnson.

Stanford student, Hank Fourcade will demonstrate his winning form in the crawl and back strokes.

Tickets are only \$1.00. Bring your family and friends to this gala affair. See you there!

NOTICE: Members who have been violating the House Rules by having unauthorized parties in the Club at late hours will be fined or suspended by the Board.

CLIP AND MAIL TO STAN RYBICKI, 3340 BUCHANAN STREET, SAN FRANCISCO.

DEAR STAN:

Make reservations for _____ people in my party for LADIES' NIGHT, Sat., May 9.

SIGNED _____

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM - The Editor

Dear Editor:

Mail Bag

By mail the other day I received the "Dolphin Log".

Allow me to compliment you on the general appearance and good taste displayed in getting up and editing the "Log."

I was especially interested in Bud Sterling's "We the Dolphins" tribute to Louis ("Ham") Delucchi. It is always in good taste to publicly give a deserving member a slap on the back and a hearty "well done, old boy." Whenever this is done in any organization every member gets an incentive to do a better job himself and feels a little kindlier toward the writer as well as the recipient of the praise. Thank you, Bud, and more power to you, Mr. Delucchi.

Note, in the Life Member Boosters Roster I am credited with being a handball player. I wish to correct this. I was an active Oarsman for many years. The crew:

Hugh McKevitt, Stroke	Lester Richmond - #2
Ed More - #3	A. W. Ward - Bow
Gerald Conniff - Cockswain	

Very truly yours,
A. W. Ward, D.D.S.



Editorial

It is very satisfying to receive such a letter from a member. We publish it, not necessarily to take bows, but to develop a facet that we think is important.

In his letter Dr. Ward indicated that he wished to be known as an OARSMAN on the Booster List.

To Dr. Ward the term "OARSMAN" must mean a great deal. The term must stir memories of long hours of training on the Bay with his fellow crewmen. Memories of the day of the big race when some of the rival rowing clubs were bested. The term "OARSMAN" represents that intangible sense of camaraderie that is perhaps unapproached in any form of amateur athletics.

Last month six members showed up for "Rowing Turn-out Day" at Lake Merced. The event was a flop.

Lawton Hughes and Tom Troneum, both great oarsmen and champions in their own right have worked unstintingly for years to keep the rowing game going. It was Lawton who promoted the "Rowing For Fun Day" at the Lake and on the Russian River. Tom, as rowing coach, can be found on just about every Saturday morning at Lake Merced ready to instruct any novice in the sport. The hours that Tom has spent in repairing boats

HANDBALL TOURNAMENT

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

Six players remain undefeated, namely: Don Bagiani, Mario Guevara in first class; Charlie Sackett and Dino Landucci Jr., in second class; Officer Frank Grady, third class; and Mike Farrell and Al De LaTorre, novices.

Three of S.F.'s finest, Frank Grady, Jerry Clifford and Marvin Green, are battling it out in third class. But, the last two better put the handcuffs on Frank as he is leading the league in no defeats.

(Editor's note: The Milk bottle babies, Bob Mahoney, Mike Farrell, and the high commissioner himself-Ray Belluomini, Sr., are having a tournament of their own to decide the champion of Marin Dell. The player with the most wins will receive a bottle of half and half.)

The only feature to dampen the tournament is the ailing knee of defending champion Joe Scarpa, who is competing regardless of such a severe handicap. Like a true champion he is playing along and winning most of his games.

In a very hard fought match dark horse Jim Vanya defeated Dennis Silvester. It is rumored that Dennis will protest claiming that Vanya kept stepping on his feet.

Undefeated Mario Guevara is greatly improved over last year. The one who beats him will know he has been in a game.

Look for a thriller when Chuck Sackett meets Dino, Jr.

Editorial CONTINUED

is untold. Certainly he deserves better support than he received last month.

By next August there will be a \$300,000 Sports Center ready for operation at Lake Merced. The structure will include our training and racing equipment. How can we possibly lay claim to any portion of the new building if we are not training crews and are contemplating no races.

In all fairness, the decline in rowing interest is certainly not the fault of the coaches nor the fault of any particular Club administration. However, we do think that steps could be taken now to start a positive rowing program. We suggest:

1. The subject "rowing" be included in every agenda of the Board meetings.
2. A rowing committee of past oarsmen be formed whose purpose it would be to assist the coach and devise ways and means of promoting the sport.
3. Encourage racing in single skiffs by setting up a marked course on Lake Merced on which members would race against time limits.

ELMER C. GUNTHER

DAILY, MARTIN & FAY, INC.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

THE
Iron Duke

DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO



Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS



WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

One need only be in the Dolphin Club a short time to get to know a fellow by the name of Don Baggiani. Don is a fellow who, the longer he is known, the better he is liked.

If you are a handball player you will know that Don has won prizes in both singles and doubles and several times has been handball commissioner. When Don is playing a referee is superfluous. Win or lose, he plays a gentlemanly game and has never been known to take advantage of the opposition. No player is too good or too bad to have a game with Don. His willingness to help the newer players has always been recognized.

Between handball seasons Don spends his time swimming and is usually an entry in the Gate Swim. To mention the number of crossings would require the fingers of both hands plus. Quite naturally he was made swimming commissioner and was also honored by the Club when one of the pleasure boats was named "Don Baggiani".

Recognizing his virtues and capabilities the members elected Don to the presidency. Because of his ability to gain the cooperation of the members his term was one of the best financially and constructively in Club history.

Let's salute Don Baggiani, a great guy.

Editorial (CONTINUED FROM PAGE TWO)

4. Arrange a race with San Diego to be held on the opening of the Lake Merced Sports Center.

(Item 1 was once suggested by Hughes, item 3 is used by San Diego R.C.)

We have all the elements for a bright future in rowing - dedicated coaches who know their business, a large group of young members to call upon, a new training quarters on beautiful water that many clubs would give their eye teeth to have, and, lastly, a wonderful rowing tradition.

What is stopping us from putting these elements together?

Should we remove the crossed blades from the Dolphin emblem?

Dr. Ward takes pride in referring to himself as an OARSMAN. Will the present young men in the Dolphin Club be able to use the term in the future?

USE YOUR CLUB

WORLD FAMOUS


EXPOSITION FISH GROTTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565





LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

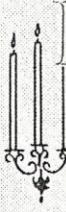
INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR



REVERENT

funerals

by

Godeau

41 VAN NESS HEMLOCK 1-1230

SERVICES
under the direction
of
WARREN J. RINGEN
grandson of founder

FISH



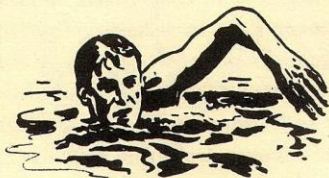
POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON

FORT MASON MEAT MARKET

CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
Graystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME 11, NUMBER 4

MAY, 1959

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

RUSSIAN RIVER WATER CARNIVAL SATURDAY & SUNDAY, JUNE 6 & 7

THE GREAT WHITE SHARK By Walt Schneebeli

(Editor's note: Walt Schneebeli, who is an aquatic collector for Steinhart Aquarium, gathers live specimens of fish from San Diego to the Straits of Juan de Fuca.)

On May 7th of this year, at Baker's Beach, San Francisco, a young college student was killed by a large unidentified aquatic animal. Tooth marks in the victim's shoulder were examined by Dr. W. I. Follett of the California Academy of Sciences and found to be, probably, those of the Great White Shark, sometimes called Man-eater Shark, the strongest and most voracious fish living in the world today.

So as not to confuse this shark with some of his harmless relatives which normally live in this area, a brief description follows: The color is a lead gray on back and sides, white below. A small keel is located on each side of the base of the tail. Five rows of sharp teeth are found in both jaws. Specimens reaching the length of forty feet have been recorded. This shark is native to tropical and temperate waters of both the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, usually avoiding populated areas. One thirty foot individual caught at Soquel, Calif., in 1880 had a young sealion weighing about 100 pounds in his stomach. An incident similar to that at Baker's Beach, occurred in December of 1952 at Monterey Bay when a boy was killed by a great white shark.

The San Francisco attack is of extreme interest to those of us who use the waters of this Bay and nearby ocean beaches for recreational purposes.

What are the chances of another attack occurring in this area? According to Dr. Follett it probably wouldn't happen again in 100 years. We can only hope that he is correct.

GOOD FOOD LADIES NIGHT

Chairmanned by Stan Rybicki and with Andy Dunne acting as chef the Ladies Night Dinner Dance drew much praise from those in attendance.

Generous portions of roast beef and mustaciolli were served by our young Dolphins Bob Demo, Ray Bel-

RESERVATIONS TAKEN NOW FOR GUERNEWOOD PARK HOTEL-RESORT

Warm summer vacation days are approaching and it's that time of the year for the Seventh Annual Dolphin Russian River Water Carnival to be held at Guernewood Park, Saturday and Sunday, June 6 and 7.

A full weekend of aquatic activity and fun has been planned. Saturday night there will be a dinner at Guernewood Park Hotel-Resort. Starting at 1:00 p.m., Sunday, there will be the four-oar barge races, single skiff races, swimming sprints, and canoe tilts.

Guernewood Park Hotel-Resort will be headquarters for the gang. Most of the 24 cabins have been renovated in knotty pine and new furniture.

Two dollars mailed to Stan Rybicki will reserve one of the accommodations. Reservations must be made before June 3. Prices are listed below.

HOUSEKEEPING ACCOMMODATIONS

CABINS or BUNGALOWS: With private showers, toilet, gas range, electric heat.

	Single Bedroom		Two Bedrooms	
Persons:	2	3	4	4
Day	\$ 6.00	\$ 7.00	\$ 8.00	\$ 9.00
Week	33.00	37.00	41.00	43.00

EUROPEAN PLAN

ROOMS: Hot Showers, toilet, electric heat.

	1		2	
Persons:	1	2	3	4
Day	\$ 3.50	\$ 4.50		
Week	18.75	22.75		

HOTEL CABINS: Hot Showers, toilet, electric heat.

	1		2	
Persons:	1	2	3	4
Day	\$ 4.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.75	\$ 6.50
Week	19.75	23.75	26.75	29.75

DE LUXE HOTEL ROOMS: Overlooking River; private veranda, showers, toilet, electric heat; in Tavern building.

	1		2	
Persons:	1	2	3	4
Day	\$ 5.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 6.75	\$ 7.50
Week	24.75	28.75	32.75	35.75

luomini, Jr., Lino Scrivant, Dennis Silvester, and Sunny Tarantino.

Others on the committee included Al Gragnani, Frank Mennucci, Mert Kelleher, Paul Silvester, Frank Blackburn, and Ed Giovannoni.

NEXT ISSUE: Handball Results

CLIP AND MAIL WITH A \$2.00 DEPOSIT TO STAN RYBICKI, 3340 BUCHANAN STREET, SAN FRANCISCO.

DEAR STAN: Please reserve the following type of accommodations: _____ There will be _____ persons in my dinner party.

SIGNED _____

AROUND THE COVE

With Don Kane

Dolphin Club swimmers have been doing some impressive swimming during the past indoor season on all fronts, the high school level as well as the college and national competition.



On the high school front, Lynn Fritz will be entered in the 200 yard freestyle event at the San Francisco High School Championships later this month. In all probability he will swim on the St. Ignatius High relay team also, as high school swimmers are allowed only two events per man. Lynn recently broke the northern California high school 100 yard freestyle record in the 120 lb. division.

In college competition, Lynn's brother Jay, a freshman at Dartmouth, started the season with some impressive victories but came down with mononucleosis and was unable to complete the season.

Hank Fourcade assisted Stanford in upsetting heavily favored USC in the Pacific Coast Conference Championships by placing fifth in both the 100 yard and 220 yard backstroke events. It seemed USC used their Australian whiz kids in the relays while Stanford concentrated on the individual events.

Gene Gaynor won the Big Eight Conference 100 yard backstroke championship at Stockton and qualified to represent San Francisco City College in the Northern California Junior College Championships held at Watsonville. There Gene placed 3rd in the 100 and 5th in the 200 yard backstroke events.

Short notes: Bob Johnson has taken a job with an electronic computing company in Salt Lake City but will be back to swim the Gate...Kevin Keith will complete his second year as captain of the Olympic Club swim team at the end of this season.

WE THE DOLPHINS By Bud Sterling

"Rallying in the final period the Dolphin Club water polo squad defeated the Jewish Community Center 5 to 3 yesterday at Fleishacker Pool to annex the spring championships of the San Francisco Water Polo League." Perhaps few of us know that in 1937 the Dolphin Club had a water polo team which was good enough to win the league as quoted above from the Examiner.

If you will gaze over the line-up you will see the name of Joe Bruno. Today Joe is still very active and might be referred to as a coach's dream. If it is a rowing race Joe is always willing to oblige. Just last October he was in the winning barge on Columbus Day.

In November 1937 Joe placed 6th in the Exposition race to Treasure Island when only 10 out of 19 finished. Then in 1938 he finished 52nd in a field of 115 in the one mile Neptune Beach swim.

Of course our Golden Gate Swim would not be complete without Joe's name on the entry list. To date Joe has made 20 Gate crossings. Joe has competed in the Santa Cruz one mile swim; he has also been swimming the Raccoon Straits since the Club held the first swim in 1952.

At present Joe is battling in first class of the handball tournament.

As a popular member, an athlete, and gentleman we salute a fine Dolphin — Joe Bruno.

DOLPHIN AQUA-FOLLIES DRAWS CROWD

First class top entertainment must be the label applied to the Dolphin Aqua-Follies featuring the San Francisco Merionettes which was held at Larsen Pool last month.

The water ballet team, coached by Marion Kane, drew a capacity audience. Funds raised from the show will help send the girls to Detroit, Michigan, to compete in the National Championships.

Dolphins had a good share in the performance. The comedy diving staged by Richard Bruhns, Ted Lambertson, Ron Raeta, Joe Flahaven, Bob Demo, and Dick Hackett was the wackiest we had ever seen.

Steve Gaal (that's pop) won the past presidents race by beating Roland Demarais by a gnat's eyelash. Churning the water for a third was Ed Dollard. Giving their all also were Pres. Carl Noto, Lawton Hughes, and Stan Rybicki.

Charlie Sackett piloted by Jim Vanya took one on the chin from Tom White in the canoe tilt.

Linda and Karen Troneum were the maidens in distress in the life saving exhibition while Richard Bruhns

HAVE FUN

ON THE RUSSIAN RIVER

JUNE 6 & 7

ELMER C. GUNTHER

DAY, MARTIN & DAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS

GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANBOME ST.

SAN FRANCISCO 4

THE
Iron Duke

DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails — Dinners
Luncheons — Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS



WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor



One of the Log's top columnists will be missed for awhile. Bud Sterling and his wife, Gloria, will tour for three months in Europe. They will leave San Francisco June 14 on the French passenger-freighter, "Winnipeg". Their itinerary includes the West Indies, LeHavre,

Paris, San Sebastian, Lisbon,

Barcelona, Zurich, Berlin, and Hamburg, where they will visit Carl Luder's brother.

Our apologies to FRANK BORDENAVE who has been left off the Booster List. Frank joined the Club in 1910 and was an all-around athlete. ...Any member can still be a Dolphin Booster by sending in a five. Help us keep the Log in print.

Stork Club: Congratulations to MR. & MRS. VINCE LaROCCA on the birth of a baby boy. Baby Leo was born March 13 and named after grandpa. Another hearty congratulations to MR. & MRS. ROBERT CAMPBELL on the birth of their first child, Heather Ann, April 28.

DON KANE, our swim columnist, finds a little time now and then to participate himself. Don was a member of the Oakland YMCA medley relay team which won the National YMCA Championships which were held in Colorado Springs. Don also placed 4th in the 200 yard and 6th in the 100 yard backstroke events.

ROGER GAAL has been appointed Captain in the Air Cadet Pre-Flight School at San Antonio, Texas.

Fine Club spirit was shown by the members who painted and repaired the sun deck. The work party included TIM O'SHEA, ANDY DUNNE, ARCHIE HELENIUS, CARL LUDERS, STAN RYBICKI, AND JIMO'HARA.

CHARLIE YEAGER, who writes that the temperature of the water in Florida is 72 degrees, expects to visit S.F. and the Club soon.

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE TWO)

and Joe Flahaven played the heroes.

Giving a fine exhibition of the crawl and butterfly was Lynn Fritz, S.I. champ.

Charlie Sava directed a group of "Dolphin Splashers" ranging in ages from 2 1/2 to 13 years. The youngsters, sons and daughters of members, included Candy Kane, Mary Alexander, John Sancimino, Stephen Sancimino, Vincent Sancimino, Danny Alexander, Cathy Alexander, and Karen Troneum.

WORLD FAMOUS

EXPOSITION FISH GROTTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF, SAN FRANCISCO. ORdway 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR

REVERENT
funerals
 by
Godeau

41 VAN NESS HEMLOCK 1-1230

SERVICES
 under the direction
 of
WARREN J. RINGEN
 grandson of founder

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
 CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
 Graystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB

502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME II, NUMBER 5

JULY 1959

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

DOLPHINS TO HOST HANNA CENTER BOYS SATURDAY, JULY 11

MARIO GUEVARA NEW SINGLES CHAMP; DOUBLES TOURNAMENT UNDERWAY

By Ray Belluomini, Sr.

The 1959 Singles Tournament ended Sunday, May 24, with Dino Landucci, Jr. capturing the second class crown by defeating Chuck Sackett 21-3, 21-6. Sonny Tarantino took the third class title by defeating Bob Demo 12-21, 21-20, 21-7.

In first class the Mighty Mite Mario Guevara came back after being defeated by Pino Scarpa to take the championship after two hard fought games. This boy Mario deserves loads of credit for defeating the best players in the Club and for the remarkable improvement he has shown. Long live the new champ and let's hope that Pino keeps plugging with a view of getting another crack at the Mighty Mite.



Runner-up - Pino Scarpa, left congratulates Mario Guevara winner of the 1st Class.

Besides Mario, it looks like Johnny McCartney and Dom Cannizzaro were the most improved players in the tournament.

For a young fellow with only nine months experience and playing in his first tournament, Moon Pasanissi deserves the back slaps for winning the championship in the novice class by defeating that promising player Mike Farrell.

FULL DAY OF AQUATIC SPORTS, LUNCH PLANNED FOR 40 YOUNGSTERS

Forty fun loving youngsters from the Hanna Boys Center of Sonoma will invade the Dolphin Club Saturday, July 11, when they will be hosted for a day of aquatic events.

Jim Healy, former athletic director at the Center, will accompany the lads together with several other members of the staff. Carl Noto will chairman the event and will be assisted by other members of the Board of Directors. Members are invited to pitch in on committee work.

Skiff races, canoe races and tilting, paddleboard races, and short swimming sprints close to the beach will highlight the day.

After the morning events, which start at 11:00 a.m., the boys will be served lunch by the members.

WELCOME, 18 NEW MEMBERS

A hearty Dolphin "welcome" to the 18 men who were accepted as members during the last quarter. The list includes: Dick Andreetta, hotel owner; Frank Blackburn, fireman; Gary Boundy, student at S.F. State and holder of the California State College 100 yard freestyle championship; Melvin Canevaro, clerk; Jerry Desmond, retired S.F.P.D.; Lynn Fritz, student at St. Ignatius and holds the northern California 100 yard freestyle record; Myron Heckman, steel worker.

Sam Jermane, nursery man; Oke B. Johnson, dock supervisor; Frank Marsh, stocks and bonds, William Medin, S.F.P.D.; Frank Pavich, bartender; Jerry Schiffman, State Police; Lino Scrivant, fireman; John Smith, fireman; Peter Stephenson, student; Rudolph Wagner, timekeeper.

SWIMMING SCHEDULE SET

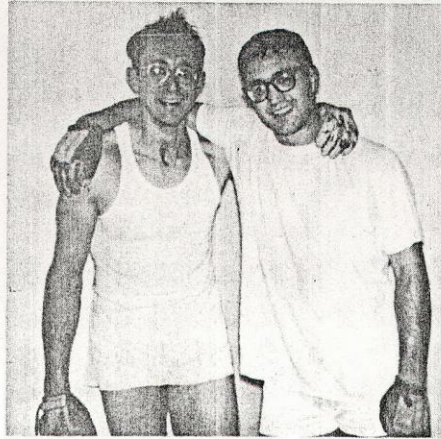
Swimming dates were set at the last meeting of the Board of Directors.

Aquatic Park Handicap Swim, Saturday, August 1
Raccoon Straits Swim, Saturday, August 15
Golden Gate Swim, Sunday, September 13
Columbus Day Swim, Sunday, October 11

JOIN THE BOOSTER LIST



2nd Class. Dino Landucci, Jr., left, winner. Charlie Sackett, runner-up.



3rd Class. Sonny Tarantino, left, winner. Bob Demo, runner-up.



Novice. Ray Belluomini, Sr., left. Congratulates Moon Passanisi.

HANDBALL ROUND-UP

Mario Guevara and Pino Scarpa had the honor of representing the Dolphin Club in an exhibition game against Grant Elms and Gene Ward of the South End Sunday, June 28, when four new handball courts were dedicated at Big Rec in Golden Gate Park.

Other clubs participating were the Olympic Club playing the Elks and the YMI against the Jewish Community Center.

Two of the courts are enclosed and have glass backwalls and spectator galleries.

Vince LaRocca and Dino Landucci, Jr., although losing, made a fine showing in the AAU tournament at the Athens Club in Oakland last month.

The Doubles Tournament was launched June 14 and enthusiasm is running high.

In first division it looks like a battle between Don Baggiani teamed with Leo LaRocca and Ed Giovannoni with Vince LaRocca.

The old war horse Lawton Hughes and his partner Mert Kelleher intend to put the youngsters in their place. Watch for Frank Grady and Jim Vanya to upset.

AROUND THE COVE with Don Kane

Gene Gaynor scored 126.34 points to win the second annual Life Guard Contest held June 15th at Fleishhacker pool. Gene won the event last year also. Twenty of the top life guards in the bay area competed.

The "Daffy Dolphins" comic divers were at it again during the Merionettes Aquacade at Balboa Park pool June 27th and 28th. They performed before capacity



crowds on both nights. The daffiest included Ted Lambertson, Ron Raeta, Gene Gaynor and Kenny Gaal. Kenny has just returned from Pacific Lutheran College in Washington for the summer. Tom Troneum's daughter Karen, also participated in the show as she is a member of the Merionettes team.

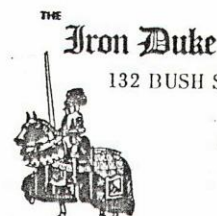
Swimming enthusiasts are fortunate this year for the Mens and Womens National A.A.U. Diving Championships are to be held at Fleishhacker pool, July 12th. This is the first time both the Men and Women will compete at the same site on the same day. The Mens swimming championships are scheduled for Fremont Hills and the Womens, Redding, and since both of these sites do not have diving facilities San Francisco has been blessed with the diving events. The competition will be sponsored by the Park and Recreation Department.

RESULTS OF RUSSIAN RIVER WATER CARNIVAL

Don Kane won the Russian River Water Carnival Swim with a time of two minutes fifty five seconds. Don defeated last years champion Ted Lambertson, who finished second ten yards back. Joe Bruno placed third with Vince Cannizzaro, Tom Troneum, Frank Drumm, Sal Cannizzaro, Dino Landucci and Don Baggiani finishing in that order.

The one half mile four oared crew with coxswain race was a very close one which saw the lead change hands several times before it was finally decided with about fifteen yards to go. Scotty Tarantino led his crew of Dino Landucci, Don Baggiani, Ted Lambertson and Vince Cannizzaro to victory over the crew of Tom Troneum, Stan Rybicki, Lawton Hughes and Roland Demarais. Karen Troneum was coxswain of the second place crew. It must be said that Karen did a commendable job.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA
BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM The Editor



BOB JOHNSON, whose new job is with the Sperry Rand Engineering Laboratories in Salt Lake City and involves designing methods and procedures for the quick and efficient production of missiles, has joined the Booster List.

He used to shiver and shake the boards loose from the sun deck after a dip. Next fall BOB CAMPBELL will be swimming coach at Miramonte High in Moraga.

KEARNEY JOHNSTON, editor of the San Diego Rowing Club's Red and White Log and rowing enthusiast wrote us a note from which we quote in part:

...We have had two regattas, one at Long Beach and the second at Los Angeles with the third to be held at San Diego next month, Sunday, June 21...

About our rowing program getting rolling. It was through our high school program. A couple of the club member fathers brought down their 15 and 16 year old sons and we had them bring down their high school buddies whom we taught to row in our training four-oared barges. They all took out junior memberships which cost \$6.60 of which \$3.00 was for initiation and \$3.30 dues per quarter. They have eaten it up and that is just from three high schools. We have about 15 school boys to work with now. Also I teach them to row in our open single skeeter boats. We had our annual skeeter handicap, two races over a mile course and the kids came in 1st and 2nd in one race and 1st and 2nd in the other.

We are now shooting for the California State Regatta which we people are putting on Sunday, June 21. Also these kids come down and help work on the boats and oars to keep them in top shape. Some of our past oarsmen have pitched in to help with the coaching. Of 17 new members who have been brought into the club since the first of the year, 14 of them are out for rowing now. Tell Dr. A. W. Ward I congratulate him on fighting for the sport of rowing...

RUSSIAN RIVER WATER CARNIVAL CONT'D. FROM PAGE 2

The Senior Singles Club Championship saw a tie between Tom Troneum and Scotty Tarantino who rowed the same course as the four oared crews.

The last event of the day was a mixed four oared race with two girls included in each crew. The winning crew of Karen Troneum, Vince Cannizzaro, Marion Kane, and Tom Troneum with Lawton Hughes coxswain rowed the one quarter mile course.

WORLD FAMOUS

EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR

REVERENT

funerals

by

Godeau

41 VAN NESS HEMLOCK 1-1230

SERVICES
under the direction
of
WARREN J. RINGEN
grandson of founder

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON

FORT MASON MEAT MARKET

CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
GROYSTONE 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB

502 Jefferson Street

Edited by Roland Demarais

Organized 1877

VOLUME II, NUMBER 6

AUGUST 1959

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

7th ANNUAL RACCOON STRAITS SWIM SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

VINCE LaROCCA - ED GIOVANNONI CHAMPS

By Ray Belluomini, Sr.

The doubles tournament, after eight weeks of hard fought matches in the two classes, reached its conclusion on the 26th of July.

Winners of first class were Vince LaRocca and Ed Giovannoni with second place going to Vince LaRocca and Joaquin Claveria.

The team of LaRocca and Claveria proved in their thrilling match with Dino Landucci, Jr., and Dom Julio that the game is never over until you reach the 21st point when they overcame a 20-9 lead to win 21-20.

The second class finals turned out to be a battle between the team of Al Gragnani and Rico Passanissi against Frank Grady and Jim Vanya. After six tough games the team of Grady and Vanya won first place with Gragnani and Passanissi taking second.

The most improved player in the tournament was Jim Vanya, who lacks a little style but makes up for it in his aggressiveness and willingness to listen and learn how to improve his game.

I want to thank all the players for their wonderful cooperation in the running of the tournament.

See you all at the handball dinner at Toschi's, August 26.

HANDBALL AWARDS DINNER AUGUST 26

Ray Belluomini, Sr., our hustling handball Commissioner, announced that the Handball Awards Dinner will be held at Jake Toschi's Restaurant, on the corner of Union and Powell, Wednesday, August 26, at 7:00 p.m.

Cross rib roast, salad, and spaghetti will be served. Tab \$3.50.

Ray will present trophies to the winners and runners-up of both the singles and doubles tournament. Let's have a good turnout to show your appreciation for the great job Ray did. Sign up at the Club.

CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB SETTING FOR LUNCHEON

Thirty Dolphins are expected to enter the Club's ninth annual Raccoon Straits Swim, Saturday, August 15.

Jump-off time is slated for 11:00 a.m. Swimmers are requested to gather at the Corinthian Yacht Club in Tiburon at 10:00 a.m. Swimmers will be taken in boats to the north side of Angel Island where they will begin the half mile open water swim to Tiburon.

Bring the ladies to the delicious luncheon that will be served at the Corinthian Yacht Club at 1:00 p.m. The menu includes turkey with all the trimmings. Tab \$2.00. Reservations must be made at the Dolphin Club or with Stan Rybicki, WA 1-4845.

The Board of Directors has ruled that any swimmer new to the Club who wishes to swim the Golden Gate September 13 must have entered either the Handicap or Raccoon Straits Swim.

VOLDI WALTERS WINS HANDICAP SWIM

Voldi Walters broke his shoulder several months ago, but that didn't stop him from winning the Club's eighth annual Aquatic Park Handicap Swim last August 1.

Voldi actually cut 13 minutes off his 1958 time by swimming the three-quarter mile course in a net time of 27 minutes, 15 seconds. "Maybe if I broke the other shoulder I could win the Gate Swim," he said.

Don Kane, who started 19 minutes and 48 seconds behind the first man to go off the beach, established a new record of 16 minutes, 58 seconds beating his 1955 mark of 17 minutes, 55 seconds.

Walt Schneebeil came in second, and Ed Curtis placed third.

Order of finish with net times were:

1. Voldi Walters, 27:15
2. Walter Schneebeil, 24:30
3. Ed Curtis, 29:12
4. William Phister, 28:46
5. Dr. Fred Howard, 32:07

BOARD WILL ENFORCE BOATHOUSE RULES

PADDLE BOARD STOLEN FROM BOATHOUSE

It was reported at the July meeting of the Board of Directors meeting that a Dolphin Club paddle board had been stolen recently from the Boat House. This and other serious incidents involving members abusing club facilities and breaking Boat House Rules brought an outcry from Board members to insert a new "get tough" policy regarding Boat House Rules. It seems part of the problem is some members insist on taking boats and paddle boards out without logging them properly.

The editor of the "Log" was instructed to publish Boat House Rules which are also posted in the Boat House. After these rules have been published in the "Log" any member guilty of breaking them must appear before the Board for disciplinary action.

The rule most frequently being broken is rule #2 of the RULES REGULATING USE OF BOATS which states, "No member shall take out a Club boat without first making a record of same in Log Book. Such record shall state the following: (1) name of boat; (2) name of passenger; (3) date and hour; (4) intended destination." Another rule that apparently some members are not aware of is rule #16 of the HOUSE RULES AMENDED 1954 which reads, "Any member who destroys or damages any Club property or equipment shall replace same at his own expense."

Each issue of the Log will carry one or two of the Boat House Rules to familiarize the membership with the rules that we all must adhere to.

WELL DONE:

Several Dolphins deserve a "Well done!" this month...To CARL NOTO, JIM HEALY, GEORGE DeGEAR, MERT KELLEHER, LAWTON HUGHES, and all the gang that helped to put on Hanna Day for the 40 boys from Sonoma...To FRANK ADAMS who gazed into his crystal ball (and his stack of records) and handicapped the swimmers for the Aquatic Park Swim...and to STAN RYBICKI, CARL NOTO, and MERT KELLEHER, who cooked the steak lunch...To RAY BELLUOMINI, SR., for the smooth handball tournaments...

MICHAEL DESMOND is now with Andrews Realty Co.

JOIN THE BOOSTER LIST

WORLD FAMOUS


EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF, SAN FRANCISCO. Ordway 3-9565





LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR



REVERENT

funerals

by

Godeau

41 VAN NESS HEMLOCK 1-1230

SERVICES
under the direction
of
WARREN J. RINGEN
grandson of founder

FISH



POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON

FORT MASON MEAT MARKET

CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
 GRaystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23

HANDICAP SWIM (CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)



Voldi Walter Handicap Swim Champ

6. Tom Troneum, 29:03
7. Joe Flahaven, 19:25
8. Ed deCossio, 32:00
9. Ted Monell, 33:31
10. Don Kane, 16:58
11. Cliff Quist, 27:09
12. Dave Hinton, 31:03
13. Joe Weiss, 32:05
14. Frank Drum, 30:05
15. Hector Valencia, 20:29
16. Joe Bruno, 29:29
17. Richard Hackett, 25:07
18. Bill O'Brien, 42:59
19. Mel Henry, 40:34
20. Mario Guevara, 41:30
21. Oke Johnson, 41:45
22. Paul Melee, 40:50

Frank Adams was the handicapper. A delicious steak lunch was prepared by Stan Rybicki and Carl Noto.

105 MILE ROW TO SACRAMENTO

Skipper Les Hendry is polishing the brass on the doubles the "James Farrell" and has once again charted his course for a 105 mile row from the Dolphin clubhouse to Sacramento.

Les has signed on veteran Ed deCossio as first mate and Ed Curtis as able bodied seaman. Joe Weiss has indicated he may row another boat.

The hearty oarsmen will begin their junket to the State Fair Friday, September 4, at 8:00 a.m.

AROUND THE COVE

With Don Kane

It was encouraging to see that Voldi Walters won the Aquatic Park Handicap Swim. As this writer has maintained in the past, the swimmer who improves the most from one year to the following is the man who in most cases wins this swim. This year Voldi proved the point by bettering his time around the cove by thirteen minutes.



Walt Schneebeli trained most of the winter through, bettered his time and placed second in the handicap race. Another case was Dr. Fred Howard who like Walt swims in the Bay most of the winter, bettered his time also.

It is encouraging to see not only the younger swimmers training consistently but the older members also, for when men of all ages in the Club are improving them-

selves physically the main purpose of the Dolphin Club is being fulfilled.

From the results of the Mens and Womens national swimming championships recently held in Northern California the United States swimmers are closing the gap on the Australian swimmers in the freestyle events. The U.S. still dominatee the backstroke and butterfly events.

Gary Boundy, San Francisco State sprint champion who just recently joined the Club is coaching the swimming team at the Balboa Park Pool.....

CLUB MEMBERSHIP NOW TOTALS 307

Seven new members joined the Club last month swelling the total membership to a total of 307.

The new polliwogs were: Rudolph Demay, 29, city electrician; Richard Haggard, 21, Simmons Co.; Howard Hall, 46, Metropolitan Life; Gerald Hofius, 44, catering mgr. Bimbo's; Andrew Howat, 48, California Dept. of Employment; Donald McGinnis, 28, McPherson Leather Co.; Albert Swanson, 18, student at S.F. State.

The Constitution states, "The number of members of this Club shall be limited to 300, exclusive of honorary, life and non-resident members..." An addition of 50 members may be added is conditions warrant by the judgement of the Board.

Membership list to date:

- 194 regular members
- 31 out of town
- 13 military leave
- 1 conditional
- 1 leave of absence
- 2 non dues paying

242
65 life members
307 Total

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM The Editor

Dear Roland,

Enclosed you will find money for the Booster List in the Log. It is sure a welcome sight to receive the Dolphin Log here in Texas. I hope this will help to continue such fine issues.

At the present I am in navigator training at Harlingen AFB, Texas, as an Aviation Cadet. The training is very interesting and I expect to be in school another year.

Here's hoping all is well at the Club and my best regards to all.

Yours truly,
Roger Gaal



ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA
BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



THE
Iron Duke

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

DOuglas 2-4484



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME II, NUMBER 7

SEPTEMBER, 1959

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

43rd DOLPHIN GOLDEN GATE SWIM SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13



BETTY BRUNO, "MISS GOLDEN GATE SWIM"

Lovely Betty Bruno, 17 year-old daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Bruno, has been chosen "Miss Dolphin Golden Gate Swim" of 1959. Betty is a graduate of Hillsdale High School in San Mateo. Her hobbies are swimming, volley ball, and dancing.

Betty's dad made his first Dolphin Gate Swim in 1934 and hasn't missed one since.

Betty is 5 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 110 pounds.

PLEASE OBSERVE BOATHOUSE RULES

The following two rules have been taken from the RULES REGULATING USE OF BOATS to familiarized Club members with Boat House Rules.

Rule 7. Club boats shall not be beached.

Rule 10. No member shall take or keep any boat out after sundown except by permission of the Captain.

Acquaint yourself with the Boat House Rules and follow them.

POSSIBLE ENTRY OF SIXTY SWIMMERS

With a possible field of sixty qualified swimmers the Dolphins will stage their 43rd Annual Golden Gate Swim Sunday, September 13.

Good conditions for the swimmers should prevail as Lawton Hughes has picked the jump-off time for 9:45 a.m., which is at the end of a flood time. Experience has shown that this type of tide can actually sweep a swimmer from one-third to one-half the distance across the Gate without too much effort on the swimmer's part.

Don Kane is out to beat the Club's record time which he established last year in 19 minutes, 48 seconds. Don may have a little trouble from Joe Flahaven and Hector Valencia who came in second and third respectively in the Raccoon Straits Swim a month ago. Flahaven was actually only 20 seconds behind Kane.

Eleven novices to the Gate are expected to join in the big splash: Gary Boundy, Joe Carroll, Rudy DeMay, Frank Drum, Lynn Fritz, Dave Hinton, Mel Henry, Bill Light, Ted Lambertson, Bill Pfister, and Al Swanson.

Not to be counted out in the race are several prep and college swimmers. These contenders are Gary Boundy, Hank Fourcade, Jay Fritz, Lynn Fritz, Gene Gayner, and Ted Lambertson.

As we go to press we do not know if there will be a spectators boat because of the tug boat strike. We suggest you check with the Club if conditions change.

After the swim there will be dancing at the Club and the presentation of trophies.

SCHEDULE FOR GOLDEN GATE SWIM

Pilots assemble at clubhouse.	7:00 a.m.
Swimmers assemble at clubhouse. . . .	7:30 a.m.
Jump-off West of Ft. Point.	9:45 a.m.
Dancing at clubhouse.	1:00 p.m.
Presentation of trophies.	3:30 p.m.

SWIMMERS AND PILOTS MEETING - WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9 - 8:00 p.m.

All swimmers and pilots are requested to attend a meeting Wednesday, September 9 at 8:00 p.m. in the Staib Room in order to get full instructions and details of the swim and course.

Pilots are badly needed. If you are not swimming, please attend this important meeting and give us a hand with the boats.

HANDBALL CHAMPIONS RECEIVE TROPHIES



These are the handball champs presented trophies at a recent dinner at Toschi's Restaurant:

LEFT TO RIGHT -Top Row: James Vanya, Al Gragnani, Rico Pasanisi, Joaquin Claveria, Ed Giovannoni, Frank Grady.

Middle Row: Mike Farrell, Charles Sackett, Bob Demo, Leo La Rocca, Dino Landucci Jr., Tony Tarantino.

Front Row: Mario Guevara, Pino Scarpa.

USE YOUR CLUB

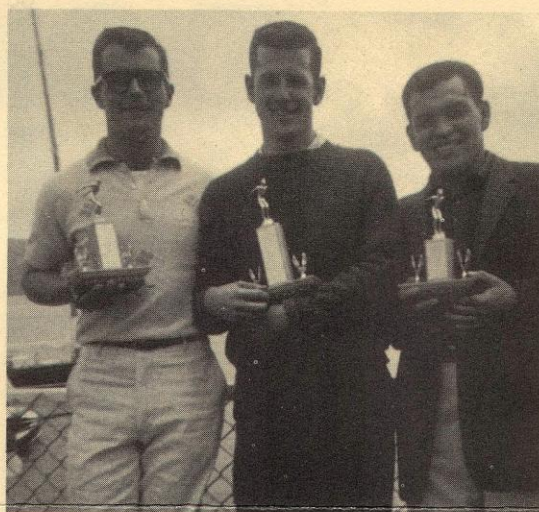
S. F. MERIONETTES PLACE IN NATIONALS

The San Francisco Merionettes Synchronized Swim Team, coached by Marion Olson Kane, placed third in the AAU National Outdoor Synchronized Swimming Championships held in Detroit, Michigan, early last month. Had the Merionettes scored one more point they would have placed second and qualified for the Pan-American Games. The two teams that beat the Merionettes were also California teams. The Athens Athletic Club of Oakland won and the University Athletic Club of Hollywood placed second.

Actually, the progress of the Merionettes is amazing. In August of 1958 the Merionettes traveled to Houston, Texas, for the Nationals where they placed seventh. In April of this year in Long Beach, California, they placed sixth in the Indoor National Championships. Just four months later they made a big jump to third place in the Outdoor Nationals. In Detroit this group had the youngest average age entered in the meet. The Merionettes average age is 14-1/2 where the top team had an average age of 21 years.

Many Dolphin Club members recall the Merionettes well from the Dolphin Club Aquacade held in April.

RACCOON STRAITS SWIM WINNERS



Posing with their trophies at the Corinthian Yacht Club are Joe Flahaven, 2nd; Don Kane, 1st; and Hector Valencia, 3rd.

Don Kane admitted he slowed down for a sea lion in the Raccoon Straits Swim last August 15, but was still able to capture the title for the fourth straight time. Don's time was 20 minutes, 35 seconds. A scant 25 seconds behind was Joe Flahaven who hit the Tiburon beach in 22 minutes flat.

Many swimmers had trouble with the tide and choppy water and the times were the slowest on record.

After the swim the Dolphins and their guests enjoyed a delicious luncheon at the Corinthian Yacht Club.

Order of finish was: Don Kane, 20:35; Joe Flahaven, 22:00; Hector Valencia, 22:30; Tom Rosen, 26:00; Gene Gayner, 26:58; Walt Schneebeil, 29:50; Bob Demo, 31:07; Voldi Walters, 32:10; Vince Cannizzaro, 32:35; Ed Curtis, 34:04; Tom Troneum, 35:55; Joe Weiss, 35:55; Albert Swanson, 36:47; Cliff Quist, 36:50; Pete Krueger, 37:55; Rudy DeMay, 39:02; Ed deCossio, 40:25; Frank Drum, 42:25; Ken Gaal, 42:45; Joe Carroll, 42:55; Bill Bisara, 44:28; Melvin Henry, 50:30; Mario Guevara, 54:15.

COLUMBUS DAY SWIM & REGATTA SUN., OCT. 11

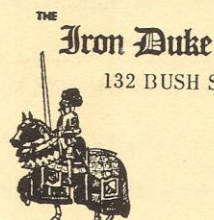
Dolphins! Keep Sunday, October 11, open on your calendar. This is the date of the Columbus Day Program at Aquatic Park and the Dolphins will participate with a Club relay swim and a parade of all the club boats, canoes, and paddleboards which will form a parade and escort Columbus' arrival.

Can we count on YOU to man the boats? Be on deck at noon.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor

ROBERT NIELSEN rushed out to buy his newly arrived son a singles skiff. Mother is resting nicely. Robert Gunnar Nielsen, Jr., arrived at St. Joseph's Hospital August 17. Weight, 5 lbs., 12 ozs.

Congratulations to MR. & MRS. LEONARD J. GELARDI who were married July 25, in Reno, Nevada. The bride was the former Miss Terry Rose Bell.

Wonder where BUD STERLING and "Sugarfoot" are now? Bud should be back from Europe just in time to organize the Old Timers' Dinner.

Don't forget the Columbus Day Swim and rowing events at Aquatic Park, Sunday, October 11.

As we go to press LES HENDRY, ED deCOSSIO, and ED CURTIS should be just about finished on their 105 mile row to the Sacramento State Fair.



AROUND THE COVE With Don Kane

GENE GAYNER recently successfully defended the title he won in 1958 competing in the San Francisco Life Saving Contest held at Fleishhacker Pool... JOE FLAHAVEN suffered a surfing accident recently at Santa Cruz. As he was carrying his surf board up the cliff from the water he slipped and tumbled down. We certainly hope it doesn't have any effect on his showing in the Golden Gate Swim.....DICK HACKETT, on a recent vacation won many swimming races during his stay on Catalina Island. Apparently Dick was Santa Catalina Island's outstanding two weeks wonder!.....MERLE HONAKER will miss this year's Gate Swim as he is enjoying a relaxing vacation with his family in the Hawaiian Islands. Why is it most Dolphin clubbers choose vacation sights near the surf?.....Seven Bay Area swim stars recently competed in the Pan-American Games in Chicago. Berkeley's Sylvia Ruuska and Ann Bancroft; Stanford's George Harrison; Bay-O-Vista's Gary Heinrich. Santa Clara placed three on the United States team, Chris Von Saltza, Ann Warner and Steve Clark.



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR

41 VAN NESS HEMLOCK 1-1230

SERVICES
under the direction
of
WARREN J. RINGEN
grandson of founder

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.
DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM
COCKTAILS
NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS
Phone GRaystone 4-9029
1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23

43RD ANNUAL GOLDEN GATE SWIM ROSTER

Compiled by Don Kane

Notice to all swimmers -- the number appearing in front of your name is your official swimming number. You are to paint it on your swimming cap and are to call your number to the judges on the Lime Point Rock when you finish.

1. WAYNE ALEXANDER, Making his 18th Gate crossing. Wayne's children starred in the Dolphin Club Aquacade in the spring.
2. DON BAGGIANI, Past President making his 18th crossing.
3. BILL BISARO, making his second Golden Gate crossing. Placed 21st in the recent Raccoon Straits Swim.
4. RICHARD BRUHNS, student at San Francisco City College making his 3rd Golden Gate Swim. Placed 8th last year.
5. GARY BOUNDY, San Francisco State College freestyle sprint champion. Making his first Swim.
6. LEON BRUMLEY, Pacific Coast sculling champion. A member of the Board of Directors.
7. JOE BRUNO, using his single over-arm stroke is extremely effective in rough water. Daughter Betty will reign as 1959 Golden Gate Swim Queen.
8. SAL CANNIZZARO, Backstroker. Active in most club functions.
9. VINCE CANNIZZARO, much improved over last year, Vince placed 9th in the recent Raccoon Straits Swim.
10. JOSEPH CARROLL, Steady Swimmer! Competed in Raccoon Straits Swim.
11. DON CLARK, listed as possible starter. Has competed in Golden Gate Swim in the past.
12. ALDO CUNEO, Young all around club athlete. Placed 23rd in last year's Golden Gate Swim.
13. ED CURTIS, top local gymnast. Placed tenth in recent Raccoon Straits Swim.
14. ED DE COSSIO, makes annual Row to Sacramento State Fair excursion. Very active in club functions.
15. RUDY DEMAY, making his first crossing. Placed high in recent Raccoon Straits Swim.
16. BOB DEMO, most always in the top ten. Much improved this year.
17. FRANK DRUM, Frank making his first Golden Gate Swim, comes to the Dolphin Club from the San Diego Rowing Club.
18. JOE FLAHAVEN, Joe is one of the leading contenders in this year's swim. Also a surfing enthusiast.
19. HANK FOURCADE, Hank, a recent graduate of Stanford where he was one of their top swimmers. Helped Stanford win two PCC titles. Will be a definite contender today.
20. JAY FRITZ, beginning his sophomore year at Dartmouth where he is a member of the swimming team.
21. LYNN FRITZ, student at Saint Ignatius High School. One of the leading Northern California High School freestyle sprinters last year.
22. KENNETH GAAL, a student at Pacific Lutheran College in Washington. Will be joined by his father today in this swim.
23. STEVE GAAL JR., Daddy Gaal who is now a grandfather has in the past made crossings with all four of his sons, Steve III, Phil, Roger and Ken.
24. GENE GAYNER, San Francisco City College Backstroke champion. Also surfing enthusiast. Will be pushing the top ten today.
25. MARIO GUEVARA, named "Dolphin of the Year" for 1959, an award made yearly by S.F. Examiner columnist Anita Day Hubbard.
26. DICK HACKETT, former Oakland YMCA freestyle star coached by Gus McKinnon.
27. LEIF HATLEN, good looking young club member who supports all club affairs.
28. JIM HEALY, A school teacher from Sonoma, California. Placed 15th last year, and tied with Bob Johnson.
29. MEL HENRY, Mel will make his first attempt at crossing the Gate today.
30. DAVE HINTON, Dave too will make his first attempt today. Placed 12th in the Cove Handicap Swim.
31. ROY HITCHCOCK, a magazine editor, Roy placed 24th in last year's Golden Gate Swim.
32. DR. FRED HOWARD, Doc Howard improves each year. Placed 26th last year.
33. BOB JOHNSON, Bob will make the trip to San Francisco from Salt Lake City, Utah to compete in this year's Golden Gate Swim. Tied with Jim Healy last year.
34. OKE JOHNSON, New member of the club who placed 21st in the Cove Swim.
35. DON KANE, Record holder of this event. If Don nears or breaks the mark today he will attempt the shore to shore record that has not been broken in thirty years.
36. KEVEN KEITH, A post graduate student at the University of California. Competes for the Olympic Club.
37. PETE KRUGER, Pete placed 15th in the recent Raccoon Straits Swim.
38. TED LAMBERTSON, Former San Francisco high school 100 yard freestyle record holder, Ted will be making his first Golden Gate Swim today.
39. DINO LANDUCCI JR., Champion club oarsman. Pacific Coast championship fours, '49 - '52.
40. JIM LEE, South End club champion. Jim has yet to compete in Dolphin Club competition.
41. BILL LIGHT, A student at Stanford, Bill may be a doubtful starter today.
42. BILL McIVOR, Bill a four time winner of the Golden Gate Swim, he holds the record for crossing the Gate both ways. Placed sixth last year.
43. JOE MARES, A real swim enthusiast Joe placed 33rd in last year's competition.
44. PAUL MELEE, Recently returned from the New York area. Trying to get back into shape for the Gate Swim.
45. GENE MESSERSCHMIDT, Gene will be making his second crossing today. Has not competed yet this year.
46. TED MONELL, Ted is always in top condition. He keeps that way by swimming the cove several mornings a week plus pool work at the Olympic Club.
47. BILL O'BRIEN, Bill has taken great strides since entering his first club swim. Should place higher this year than last.
48. BILL PERASSO, Bill may renew his rivalry with Bob Johnson today.

49. BILL PFISTER, Bill has improved very much. Earned himself 4th place in the recent Cove Handicap Swim.
50. CHARLES PRUETT, Chuck has not competed in recent swims. May not start today.
51. CLIFF QUIST, Cliff determined to break into the top ten, has trained most of the winter. Cliff just might make it, too!
52. TOM ROSEN, well liked young club member who has been working as a life guard during the summer at Healdsburg. Joe placed 4th in the Raccoon Straits Swim.
53. CHARLES SACKETT, Body Builder who likes to compete in all sports. Also a fine Handball player.
54. WALT SCHNEEBELI, Walt is on the heels of Voldi Walters when it comes to improvement progress. Walt placed 25th last year and should place higher today.
55. PAUL SILVESTER, Paul who has been swimming the Gate as long as some people can remember, tied with Ted Monell last year.
56. ALBERT SWANSON, Al making his first club swim competing in the Raccoon Straits Swim made a good account of himself. Should do well today.
57. TOM TRONEUM, Tom is about to surprise a few people today. When the pressure is on Tom he usually comes through. Placed 11th in the rough Raccoon Straits Swim.
58. HECTOR VALENCIA, Once again Hector must be considered a definite threat. Has placed second several times. Fourth last year.
59. JAMES VANYA, A competitive oarsman now active in competitive swimming, has not entered any of the swims yet this year. Placed a high 14th in 1958.
60. VOLDI WALTERS, Enough cannot be said about the improvement this man has made in a years time. He has inspired many Dolphin Club members with his tremendous improvement.
61. JOE WEISS, Joe placed 12th in the Raccoon Straits Swim just twenty seconds behind Tom Troneum.

OFFICIALS OF THE DAY

Marshall of the Course:	LAWTON HUGHES
Starter and Swimming Commissioner:	STAN RYBICKI
Chief Pilot:	GEORGE DeGEAR
Assistant Pilot:	LES HENDRY
Timers and Judges:	MARION KANE – MERT KELLEHER ED OLSON – TIM O'SHEA
Supervisors of Swimmers	DOMINIC ANZALONE – RAY MORINO JACK ROUSSEAU

TROPHY DONORS

Admiral Tavern – Pat Schofield	Harvey D. Murray
Buena Vista Cafe	E. Mennucci and Sons
Nick Camarda	Virginia & Stan Rybicki
Cincotta Hardware	Swan Oyster Depot – Sal Sancimino
Cardinal Electric – Steve Gaal	San Francisco Rowing Club
Dolphin Club	South End Rowing Club
Fort Mason Meat Market – Al Gragnani	Paul Silvester
Granat Brothers	Tom Troneum
Dr. Fred S. Howard – (1st man over 45)	Union Hardware
Lawton Hughes	A. Valente and Sons
LaRocca's Corner	Winchester P. Wing
Lambro's Restaurant – Joseph Mares	Gould Wing Memorial Trophy
Ted Monell	Tavera Hotel

Russell Wolden, Assessor

WINNERS OF FORMER GOLDEN GATE SWIMS

1917 Dr. Koch	1925 Howard McGovern	1933 Buster Olds	1941 Jack Reynolds	1952 Bill McIvor
1918 Ben Derham	1926 George McMillan	1934 John Mc Manus	1942-1945 No Swim	1953 Bill McIvor
1919 Kewpie Kiernan	1927 Charles Sava	1935 Dick Rittger	1946 Jack Reynolds	1954 Bill McIvor
1920 No Swim	1928 Jack Sieber	1936 John McManus	1947 Ray Carmassi	1955 Bill McIvor
1921 Syd Foster	1929 Bill Egan	1937 Jack Reynolds	1948 Ray Carmassi	1956 Don Kane
1922 Syd Foster	1930 Bill Egan	1938 Jack Reynolds	1949 Ray Carmassi	1957 Don Kane
1923 Leo Purcell	1931 Buster Olds	1939 Jack Reynolds	1950 Ray Carmassi	1958 Don Kane
1924 Syd Foster	1932 Buster Olds	1940 Jack Reynolds	1951 Ray Carmassi	

APPRECIATION

We wish to express our appreciation for the assistance of the United States Coast Guard who patrolled the course. Our appreciation to Dan London, Commodore of the "Great Golden Fleet", and to the skippers who provided boats for the swimmers. Also our thanks to the Mariposa Boat Club who patrolled the course. No Golden Gate Swim could be complete without the assistance of the South End Rowing Club who provided boats and pilots.



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME II, NUMBER 8

OCTOBER, 1959

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

OLD TIMERS' DINNER SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Rowing Events at Dedication of Lake Merced Sports Center Saturday, October 31

The long-awaited dream of the rowing clubs for an adequate training quarters with room for racing equipment and proper dock facilities will materialize Saturday, October 31, when the quarter of a million dollars Lake Merced Sports Center will be dedicated.

Dolphins will remember the old training quarters at Pier 52 which was built under the Bill Giovannoni, Sr., regime in the '30's. The spring winds and tide were particularly strong in this area and every year the dock had to be fixed into position. In 1952 the quarters were moved to Lake Merced because of waterfront expansion.

Dolphins will put on a full program of rowing events beginning at 2:30 p.m. We hope for full turn-out of all oarsmen, including the old timers.

HANDBALL ROUND-UP

By Ray Belluomini, Sr.

The Bay Counties Handball League consisting of local clubs around the bay area is due to start a doubles tournament sometime in October. We have entered three teams to represent the club. Matches will be played every Tuesday night on a home and home basis. The schedule will be posted on the board, so please give the players your moral support.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Farrell who were married on September twenty-seventh.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Mario Guevara on the birth of their fourth youngster, a girl, Myra, weighing 7 lbs. 12 oz., on September fifteenth.

BOATHOUSE RULES

- Rule 4. Members permitting non-members to steer, row or use Club property shall be liable for any damage to same.
- Rule 5. Each member shall put away his equipment and that of the Club before leaving the Boathouse.

Applications Approved by the Board of Directors

William Williams 42, Chief Officer for American President Lines
Marion Cannizzaro 40, Bartender at "The Troc."

STRICTLY BY RESERVATION

COCKTAILS 6:00 P.M.

DINNER 7:30 P.M.

TAB \$3.50, WINE INCLUDED

CRACKED CRAB SALAD ROAST BEEF DESERT

CO-CHAIRMEN - Ray Belluomini, Sr., Bud Sterling, Al Gragnani
ENTERTAINMENT CHAIRMAN - Nick Camarda

Hey, Hey, Old Timers! It will be your night Saturday, November 14, at the Club when the old gang gathers for the Annual Old Timers' Dinner.

The committee has worked hard to prepare an excellent dinner and an evening that will be filled with that old Dolphin spirit.

But please mail your reservation in now or call the Club. No reservation, no dinner, and we want no one to be disappointed.

"All American" Hector Stephens will be the honored guest of the evening and will receive his Life Membership Certificate for 25 years of membership.

New members are especially invited to attend this event.

Clip and mail to:

Ray Belluomini, Sr., 690 Haight Street

Please make _____ reservations for the Old Timers' Dinner

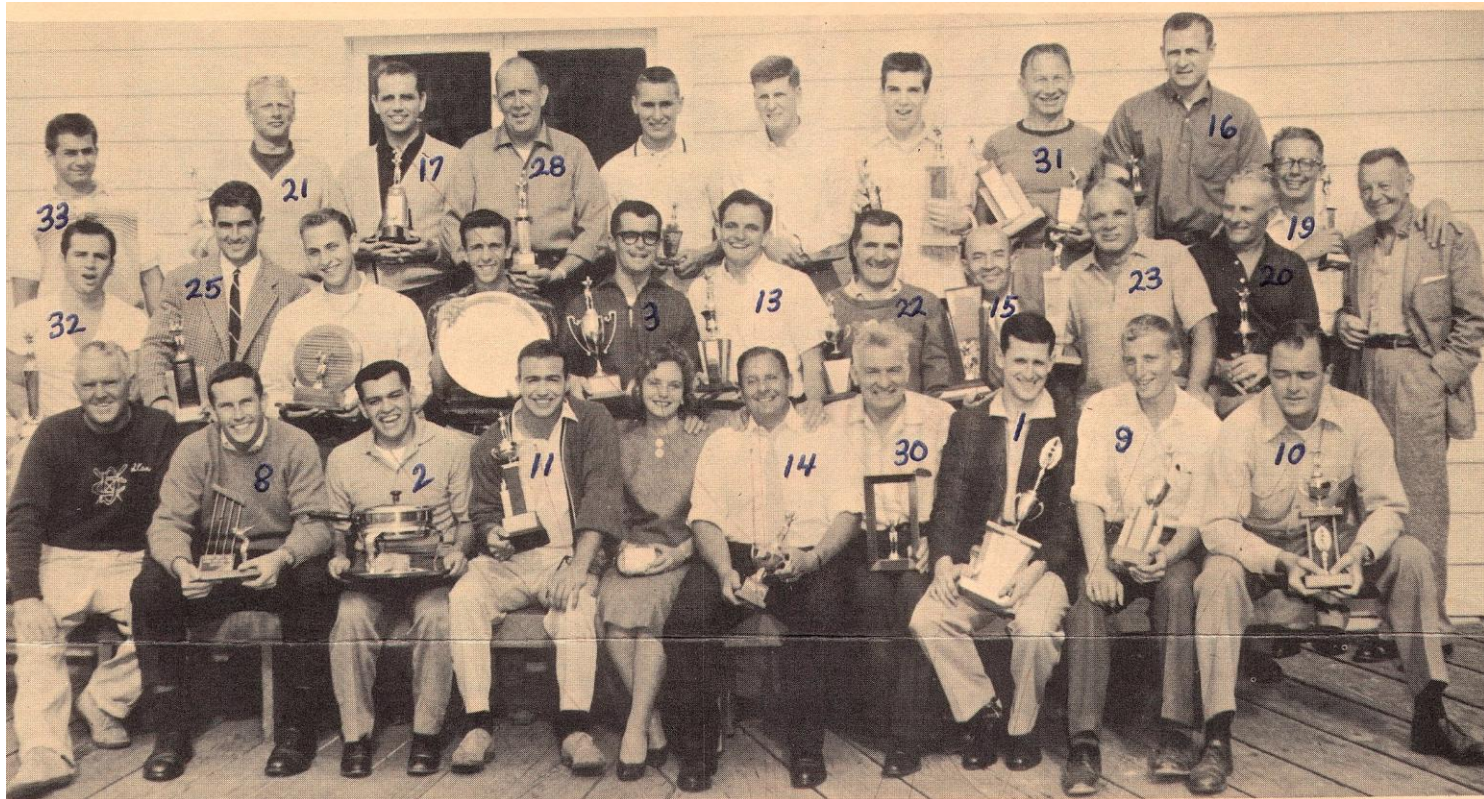
Signed _____

SPECIAL NOTICE

To All Members - SPECIAL BULLETIN

The Board of Directors has instituted a new procedure on Club affairs and concerning reservations. Due to the fact that there has been money lost on food prepared for guests who do not materialize, and who have signed up and expenses have been incurred and not amortized from the affairs, the board decided that in the future any affair with or without guests, who does not attend, the member shall be charged for the reservation on the next quarterly dues.

Rolland: This will be added to the House Rules. The board was unanimous in its action.



Dolphins pose with their trophies after the 43rd Golden Gate Swim

Pollywogs Initiated on Angel Island

The crowd, 132 paid admissions, that attended the Initiation and Picnic at Angel Island two weeks ago were pleasantly surprised at the facilities and well kept beautiful grounds of the new State Park.

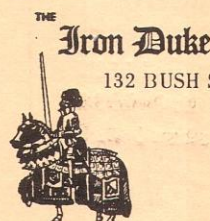
While steaks and chicken sizzled on the barbecue pits, Carl Noto, Nick Camarda, Frank Mennucci, Stan Rybicki and a couple of dozen other stalwarts meted out "justice" to the 21 pollywogs who were subjected to all sorts of inquisition and torture.

Among those who were initiated were: Ted Lambertson, Martin Brennecke, Voldi Walters, Bill Pfister, Dick Andrietta, Frank Drum, Bob Farrell, Paul Melee, Roger Merrill, Jerry Boundy, Frank Grady, Al Swanson, Lynn Fritz, Marvin Green, Jack Mashiakian, William Pfister, Rico Passanissi, Gene Messerschmidt, Don McGuinness, Jerry Schiffman, and Howard Hall.

Golden Gate Swim Results

1. Don Kane	20:43	17. Bill Pfister	32:27
2. Hector Valencia	22:07	18. Ed Curtis	34:12
3. Joe Flahaven	22:25	19. Cliff Quist	34:36
4. Lynn Fritz	22:28	20. Tom Troneum	34:37
5. Bill Light	26:39	21. Dave Hinton	35:43
6. Gary Boundy	26:47	22. Paul Silvester	35:49
7. Joel Morris	27:06	23. Ed DeCossio	36:05
8. Jim Wilshire	27:28	24. Pete Kruger	37:27
9. Albert Swanson	28:01	25. Jim Vanya	37:37
10. Walt Schneebeil	28:27	26. Dr. Fred Howard	37:51
11. Bob Demo	30:11	27. Ken Gaal	38:24
12. Vince Cannizzaro	30:52	28. Frank Drum	39:10
13. Bob Johnson	31:09	29. Ted Monell	40:06
14. Joe Bruno	31:27	30. Steve Gaal	40:20
15. Voldi Walters	32:04	31. Joe Weiss	41:30
16. Jim Healy	32:27	32. Charles Sackett	49:47
		33. Mario Guevara	50:12

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS OF CALIFORNIA
 BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
 GARFIELD 1-5931
 114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

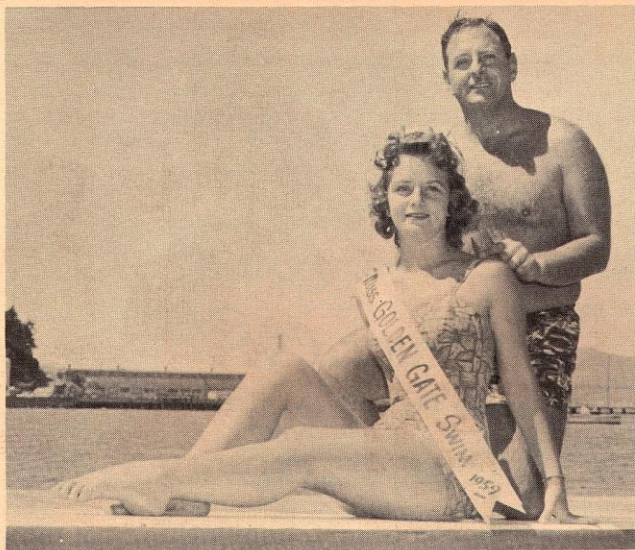


DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
 Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS



BETTY BRUNO, "Miss Golden Gate Swim", poses with her dad, Joe Bruno, veteran swimmer

AROUND THE COVE

with

Don Kane



The Board of Directors at their last regular meeting adopted an entry form with a liability clause that all swimmers wishing to enter the Golden Gate Swim in the future must fill out, sign and return it with a \$2.00

entry fee. No club member will be allowed to swim unless an entry is properly completed and returned to the club officials . . . JIM HEALY, who placed 16th in the Golden Gate Swim this year keeps in shape through the winter wrestling at the Olympic Club where he is a member of the wrestling team . . . FRANK DRUM, VOLDI WALTERS and DR. FRED HOWARD teamed up with some members of the South End Rowing Club to swim from Alcatraz to Aquatic Park . . . TED LAMBERTSON, one of the most enthusiastic pollywogs ever to be initiated into the Dolphin Club will wed MISS SUSAN FRANK in San Leandro next April. They will make their home in San Francisco . . . The daughter of GENE MESSERSCHMIDT, eight year old BARBARA, is destined to be a swimming champion for she is a member of Charlie Sava's famed Crystal Swim Club . . . STAN RYBICKI picked himself up another nickname at the recent Board of Directors meeting. The nickname among others, "Mustard Charlie!" . . . After serving a stretch with Uncle Sam, JOEL MORRIS is back at San Francisco State College where he is currently playing water polo . . .



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR

REVERENT
funerals
by
Godeau

41 VAN NESS HEMLOCK 1-1230

SERVICES
under the direction
of
WARREN J. RINGEN
grandson of founder

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM
COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • Ordway 3-9565

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
GRAYSTONE 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME II, NUMBER 9

DECEMBER 1959

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

67th ANNUAL HIKE AND DIP - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20

TOM TRONEUM HEADS CLUB IN '60; REGULAR TICKET IN



TOM TRONEUM
President Elec't.

Tom Troneum was nominated for the presidency by the Nominating Committee last month and will serve the 84th term of office in 1960.

Troneum, who has been head rowing coach since 1952, is well known for his hard work in the interest of rowing.

The 1960 slate includes: Vice President, Ray Belluomini, Sr.; Captain, Mario Guevara; Treasurer, Frank Mennucci; Financial Secretary, Stan Rybicki; Recording Secretary, Don Kane; and Lieutenant Captain, Tim O'Shea.

Serving as Board Members will be: Frank Drum, Lawton Hughes, Al Gagnani, Bob Mahoney, and Bill O'Brien.

Elected to the Nominating Committee were Frank Mennucci, Don Kane, Ray Belluomini, Sr., Carl Noto and Stan Rybicki.

Good luck, 1960 officers!

HANDBALL ROUND-UP By Ray Belluomini, Sr.

The Bay Counties League has been in progress for six weeks with about nine weeks to go.

Dino Landucci, Jr., Joe Bruno, Vince LaRocca, Bob Demo, George Dickinson, Don McGinnis, Charlie Sackett, Howard Hall, and Ray Belluomini, Sr. are representing the Dolphins.

As an example of the spirit and enthusiasm shown in the league, allow me to salute the Sacramento Elks for having to make the trip from Sacramento for at least seven weeks.

The bay area clubs go up to Sacramento on Friday nights or on Sundays.

We have won seven and lost eleven games, but before the league is ended our players will show great improvement because of the outside competition.

(continued on page two)

BRUNCH SERVED AT CLIFF HOUSE

Ever since 1892, when the Dolphins originated the Hike and Dip at the Ocean Beach, rugged members have made the seven mile trek from the clubhouse, romped in the frigid surf, and have dutifully posed for photographers. The ritual will be repeated Sunday, December 20, when the 67th Annual Hike will start at 9:00 A.M. at the clubhouse.

The gang should arrive at the beach about 11:00 A.M., where they will give the traditional dunking to the out-going president Carl Noto and to the in-coming prexie, Tom Troneum.

Press and T.V. photographers will be out to record the antics at the beach.

After the Dip a delicious brunch will be served at noon - tab \$2.75, tax and tip included, in the Clipper Room of the Cliff House.

The Anita Day Hubbard Award will be presented to the "Dolphin of the Year" at the brunch. Each year the Board of Directors selects a member who has shown outstanding Dolphin spirit and service.

Are the Dolphins today as rugged as the members of the "Gay 90's"? Will YOU be at the Hike and Dip?

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Welcome aboard to the three new members who were accepted at the last meeting.

William J. Angenant was sponsored by Bill O'Brien and Don Kane. Frank Drum and Joe Carrol introduced Edward B. Barrett. Salvatore J. Bova was sponsored by Sal and Dom Cannizzaro.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

December 31

\$9.00 per person

Price Includes Buffet and Refreshments

FOR TICKETS SEE: Nick Camarda
or

Frank Mennucci

HANDBALL ROUND-UP (continued)

We started a singles "Quickie" Tournament to go about five weeks. To prove my point about outside competition, that promising young player, Dino Landucci, Jr., will be playing our singles champion for first place.

Accolades to another promising young player, Don McGinnis, who I predict will give many of the first class players a battle by the time the big Singles Tournament starts in February. I wish more of the younger players had his desire and enthusiasm to play the game.

Sunday, Nov. 29, a large gallery witnessed an exciting game played by 3rd class players in the quarter finals of the "Quickie" Tournament won by "That's my boy" Ray Belluomini, Jr., over Rico "Moon" Passanisi, 21-20, 7-21, 21-18. "Moon", where did you get that butterfly serve?

Sign up for the "Quickie" Tournament.

OLD TIMERS' DINNER ENJOYED BY 85 MEMBERS

Hoisting their knives and forks in the best Dolphin tradition, 85 members attended the Old Timers' Dinner at the clubhouse last month.

Honored guest was Hector Stevens who was presented a Life Membership certificate for 25 years of membership.

Andy Dunne and Louie DeMartini did an excellent job in the galley and were assisted by Carl Noto, Al Gragnani, Dennis Silvester, Don McGinnis, Ray Belluomini, Jr., George Dickinson, Frank Mennucci and Bob Demo, captain of the waiters.

Behind the plank doing yoemen duty were Sal and Vince Cannizzaro, Bob Mahoney, and Howard Hall.

Sparking the entertainment for the evening were Nick Camarda and Jackie LaRocca with his accordion.

Chairmening the event were Ray Belluomini, Sr., Bud Sterling and Al Gragnani. Stan Rybicki collected.

SUPPORT YOUR CLUB JOIN BOOSTER LIST

Dolphin Club proposed Aquatic Park about 30 years ago. The Dolphin Club, through one of its distinguished leaders, Charlie Farrell, originated the proposal that San Francisco should acquire and maintain its own aquatic park.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA
BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

AROUND THE COVE

with Don Kane

HECTOR VALENCIA, who works as a part time life guard at North Beach pool has been helping in the coaching of the swimming team that represents the North Beach pool. New Dolphin clubber AL SWANSON works at the pool with Hector, so the two boys are able to train together . . . DICK HACKETT, now attending Oakland Junior College is planning to swim for Oakland J.C. in Big Eight Conference competition next season . . . Swimmers that attended the Old Timers Dinner were given an added treat when VOLDI WALTER showed colored slides of the Raccoon Straits Swim and the Initiation Picnic . . . New member BOB FARRELL must be installed-an early favorite in next years' Golden Gate Swim, Bob is a San Francisco High School champion swimmer who attends Saint Ignatius and is a top A.A.U. swimmer who represents Crystal Swim Club . . . The gathering of the clan will take place when the STEVE GAAL family will gather for the Christmas Holidays. KEN GAAL will be home from his studies at Pacific Lutheran College in Washington. ROGER GAAL will fly in from San Antonio, Texas where he is stationed in the Air Force. PHIL GAAL will make the trip from San Diego, California where he is stationed as a U.S. Naval officer. STEVE GAAL III will be unable to be present at the gathering for he is currently working and studying as an Intern at Philadelphia General Hospital in Pennsylvania . . . And from this column may everyone have a very Merry Christmas!



BOAT HOUSE RULES

The following two rules have been taken from the BOAT HOUSE RULES to familiarize club members with the various rules.

No. 3 Boat House keys shall not be loaned to any member. Violation of this rule shall subject the member to a fine of not less than \$2.50 for the first offense and to expulsion from the club for the second of any later similar offense, if so determined by the Board of Directors.

No. 6 Candidates for membership shall be permitted to use the boats or Boat House only when accompanied by a member and shall not be entitled to keys until duly elected to membership.

Acquaint yourself with the BOAT HOUSE RULES and follow them.



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor

Ladies, why not a Christmas gift for that Dolphin in your life? Club pins may be purchased at Granat Bros. for \$2.25 and up. Or a sweat shirt with Club insignia and his name may be had for \$3.35 from Hirsch & Price.



Two more members have given their support to the Log by adding their names to the Booster List — RICHARD HARMS and HARVEY MURRAY. RICHARD HARMS was an all-around competitor, he played handball, swam and rowed. Dick joined the Club in 1920. HARVEY MURRAY is an oarsman and past member of the Board of Directors. A former member of the Myrtle Boat Club of Hawaii, where he rowed and coached, Harvey carried his rowing interests to the Dolphin Club when he joined in 1951. He coached a junior crew several years ago at the lake. We have never seen a "Rowing for Fun Day" or a Russian River regatta that Harvey didn't seat a boat and man an oar.

Our mail sack has been very empty lately. Drop us a note, 502 Jefferson St., and tell us what you are doing.

Congratulations to RALPH DeLaTORRE with the Air Force in Germany who recently married a French miss named Christine.

May we wish you all a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR!

TOM & JERRY PARTY

AT CLUB

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27

AT 2:00 P.M.

CLUB HISTORY

In 1877 the Dolphin Club was organized at a meeting in the home of John Wieland of the old Wieland Brewery. The original clubhouse was located at the foot of Jones Street in what was known as Shelter Cove or Mrs. Kelly's Cove, which extended from approximately Powell Street to Leavenworth Street. In the Cove were also Mrs. Kelly's public bathhouse, the Lurline Athletic Club, and the Triton Club.

WORLD FAMOUS

EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM

Also Broiled Steaks and Chops

DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

INSURANCE BROKER

James F. Kreling DO 2-3600

BISCUIT COMPANY

John F. DeMartini 1831 Powell St. EX 2-6988

BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR

DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR

REVERENT

funerals

by

Godeau

SERVICES

under the direction

of

WARREN J. RINGEN

grandson of founder

41 VAN NESS
HEMLOCK 1-1230

FISH
POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON

FORT MASON MEAT MARKET

CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
Graystone 4-9029
1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XII, NUMBER 1

JANUARY 1960

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

INSTALLATION DINNER DANCE, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Brother Dolphins, this year of 1960 appears to become an important year in Dolphin Club history. We may well be faced with the problem of vacating our present location to give way for progress, due to our fast growing city, and move to a more favorable site at the west end of the Lagoon. A strong committee has been appointed in the person of Lawton Hughes, Emile Cicerone and Tim O'Shea. There is no question but this committee will act in the best interests of our Club.

Our athletic activities are well organized-- handball is flourishing under the very capable direction of our Vice-president, Ray Belluomini; swimming under the expert leadership of Don Kane, and rowing is now beginning to come back to life owing to our new quarters at Lake Merced.

Our social activities must be stepped up as new members and old ones are somewhat strangers, and social affairs will bring about a better opportunity to get acquainted. The first event will be the Installation Banquet which will take place at the Dolphin Club and should be well attended, for here we will feel more at home. The dinner will be catered by a leading firm and supervised by our own Stan Rybicki and Ray Belluomini. Let's go Dolphins and remember the old slogan, "All for one, and one for all."

Tom Troneum, *President*

In memory of

JOHN MARVIN

Joined the Club
Dec. 10, 1930

Died
Nov. 28, 1959

DINNER TO BE SERVED AT CLUBHOUSE RESERVATIONS NECESSARY



Much planning by all committees, a reasonable price, and a local scene augers well for the Annual Installation Dinner Dance to be held at the Clubhouse, Saturday, February 13.

Stan Rybicki is taking reservations now for the roast beef dinner which will be served for \$3.75 a plate. Where could you get a wonderful evening with dining, dancing and good fellowship at a better price? Assisting Stan on the committee are Ray Belluomini, Sr. and Bob Mahoney.

On the decorations committee are Mario Guevara, George DeGear, Don Kane, and Frank Drum who will work on the "Be My Valentine" decor.

Guests are welcome but reservations are necessary and should be made with Stan Rybicki a week in advance of the dinner. Don't disappoint your Valentine, mail the reservation slip below now.

RESERVATION

Please clip and mail to Stan Rybicki, 3340 Buchanan Street.

Dear Stan -- There will be _____ people in my party at the Installation Dinner Dance.

(signed)



Tom Troneum prepares for dunking in the Pacific as members romp in surf last December.

HANDICAP DOUBLES TOURNAMENT HIGHLIGHTS

by Mario Guevara

These are the results of the first round of tournament play.

Belluomini-Belluomini defeated Demo-McGinnis 21-13, 15-21, 21-7. The winners knew the secret of cool play.

Guevara-Sackett defeated Baggiani-Schofield 16-21, 21-14, 21-16, in a hard fought contest. Schofield played a very steady game. In the third game Sackett and Guevara overcame a 14-0 lead to win.

Hall-Sheridan defeated Vanya-Grady 17-21, 21-12, 21-18 in another tough battle. Grady played masterfully in the first game killing well only to have their backs broken on a spectacular kill made by Tony Sheridan in the third game to get the hand-in and go out.

Salcedo-Landucci, Jr. defeated DeGear-Claveria 21-13, 14-21, 21-18. This was a heartbreaker for DeGear and Claveria as they were stuck on 18 in the third game

and couldn't make the final three points in four hand-ins. Laurels to Salcedo for the steady play in his first tournament.

Landucci, Sr.-Pfister defeated Silvester-Silvester 21-18, 21-15. New face Pfister played very well. Young Silvester played great in returning Landucci Sr.'s tough serves.

LaRocca-LaRocca defeated Tarantino-Tarantino. A bitter battle - Sunny played well after a long lay-off. Young Vince played his usual fast game to win.

LaRocca-LaRocca defeated Dickieson-Hughes. Default due to injury to Dickieson. We will hear about this team later in the tourney.

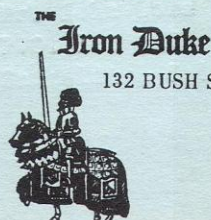
Monell-DeLaTorre defeated Green-Giovannoni 17-21, 21-14, 21-20. A real hair raiser of a third game. Monell and DeLaTorre were the delight of the spectators.

USE YOUR CLUB

ELMER C. GUNTHER
WILLIAMS & WYLLIE, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
 OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
 GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
 Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor

Of all the affairs on the Club calendar we get the biggest kick out of the Hike and Dip at the beach. Twenty-four members made the trek this year, we wonder why the turnout could not be doubled. The men over fifty must be made of heartier stuff than the youngsters for only a corporal's guard of young members dipped in the Pacific. The rugged 24 included: Carl Noto, Tom Troneum, Stan Rybicki, Frank Mennucci, Voldy Walters, Mel Henry, Ed Barrett, Joe Weiss, Jim Vanya, John Sargis, Bill Light, Leif Hatlen, Rudy DeMay, Steve Gaal, Ken Gaal, Mert Kelleher, Bud Sterling, Ed Dollard, Howard Hall, Mario Guevara, Ray Belluomini, Scotty Tarantino, and Lawton Hughes.



Your editor very gratefully accepted the Anita Day Hubbard "Dolphin of the Year" award at the breakfast.

Several new ideas are being suggested by the Board for the schedule in 1960. The breakfast after the dip may be held at the Lake Merced Sports Center in conjunction with a Xmas Party for the kids. The Initiation will be held at the Club and the Picnic will be a separate event.

Handball players please note: The deadline for tournament play sign-up is March 1, play will begin March 15.

DAVE HINTON, one of our new members, will go to Europe for two years as a representative of the National Key Company.

MALCOLM STEEL writes he enjoys his residence in Carmel and especially rowing at the mouth of the Carmel River.

CLIFF QUIST, who joined the Club in 1935, has joined the Booster List. To the best of our knowledge Cliff has made the Golden Gate Swim annually except for the war years.

See you all at the Installation Dinner Dance

CLUB HISTORY

During the fire of 1906 the Club was used to shelter some of the San Franciscans who were burned out. A baby girl was born at the Club at this time and was christened Dolphin.

WORLD FAMOUS

EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORday 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BE A DOLPHIN BOOSTER!
BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR.
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR

FISH
POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON

FORT MASON MEAT MARKET

CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
 GRaystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XII, NUMBER 2

MARCH 1960

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

A severe blow was dealt the Dolphin Club when one of the most loyal Dolphins, Stan Rybicki, struck out for the western skies and swam beyond the setting sun of the Golden Gate. Stan was beloved by all of us for his unique jargon which was instrumental in making the Dolphin Club a very down-to-earth place to relax from the troubles and cares of a turbulent business world. We, who knew him, are certainly going to miss him, both as a Financial Secretary and as a friend.

The office, left vacant by Stan's death, has been filled by the appointment of Frank Mennucci, a very loyal Dolphin. Julius Chicca, Life Member, has been appointed as Treasurer.

The Banquet, which was postponed, has been set for Saturday night, April 23; keep this date in mind.

The next event will be Row-for-Fun at Lake Merced on Sunday, March 20. The starting time is one o'clock. Let's have a good turn out and prove that we haven't forgotten how to handle a boat and an oar.

Tom Troneum

NEW MEMBERS ACCEPTED AT THE FEBRUARY MEETING

Three members were accepted at the last meeting. Reginald Charles Southcoth, 59, a janitor at Adams Grant Building, Byron Van Alstyne, 34, teacher at Westmoor Union High School and Jack Richard Weingard, 34, fireman S.F.F.D.

CALLING ALL OARSMEN! ROWING OPENING DAY LAKE MERCED

Sunday, March 20 - 1:00 P.M.

In memory of
STAN RYBICKI

Joined the Club
1935

Died
Feb. 4, 1960

HANDICAP DOUBLES FINAL

by Mario Guevara

The Handicap Doubles Tournament came to a rousing grand finale Sunday, February 21, after eight weeks of rugged competition and 47 matches with Leo "Gans" LaRocca and his partner big Vince LaRocca winning the championship over Don Baggiani and Pat "The Reach" Schofield with the scores of 21-14, 21-3.

Vince's sharp killing from all angles of the court and his Uncle Leo's fine support were the telltale difference in the match. This lad Vince will have to be reckoned with in the coming annual Singles Tournament. He looks good and likes to win as he has proven by annexing two doubles titles in the last 10 months, not a bad record in any league.

Credits also go to Don Baggiani in his ability to mold Pat Schofield into playing a bang-up game in such a short time and landing themselves in the final play-offs, nice going Don.

Good Sportsmanship Shown

High points of the tournament as I see it were:

Vast improvement by the novice and 3rd class players, sometimes even showing killer instincts in their play. Ed Salcedo, Rico Passanissi, Ray Belluomini, Jr., and Pat Schofield showed this element only too clearly.

Cooperation to keep games on schedule.

Everybody playing the game and not complaining about every little detail.

And lastly, congratulations to that young, old pro Lawton Hughes, who still proved that handball is the greatest exercise when played moderately. More of our membership should turn-out for our tournaments and reap their benefits. Trophies for the "Quickie" Singles, Consolation Singles, and Handicap Doubles, first and second place, will be presented at the Married Men-Single Men Baseball Game Luncheon.

(continued on page two)



Left to right: Don Baggiani, Pat Schofield, Leo La Rocca. Winners were Leo and Vince LaRocca.



Coach Ray Belluomini congratulating the finalists for their fine efforts. Left to right: Vince LaRocca, Leo LaRocca, Don Baggiani and Pat Schofield.

HANDBALL (continued from page one)

Singles Tournament — March 12

Here are the particulars on the coming Singles Tournament:

Type: Double elimination

Play starts: Saturday, March 12

Entry fee: \$2.00. Pay Ray Belluomini, Sr., or Mario Guevara

Classes: 1st, 2nd, 3rd and novice.

Trophies: 1st, 2nd place

Postcards will advise players of their first round match. After that it will be the responsibility of each player to refer to the schedule on the DRAW SHEET in the locker room bulletin board for match, date, and time.

Let's all show some Dolphin spirit and turn-out for the handball wars, either as a player or a spectator. The Club belongs to all of us — support its affairs.

DOLPHINS DEFEAT Y. M. C. A. TEAMS

by Mario Guevara

Sunday, March 6, was the scene of some fine handball in our home court when the Dolphins played host to four Y.M.C.A. teams and won three of the four exhibition doubles matches.

Dino Landucci, Jr. and Mario Guevara won over the Y team of Maury Nossen and John McNamara, 21-15, 4-21, 21-9. After winning the first game in good fashion they were torn apart in the second only to pick up the

pieces and win in the third. Dino's beautiful roll-out kills and your reporters steady (for a change) hammering attack did the trick.

Ray Belluomini, Sr. and Ray Belluomini, Jr. lost to the Y team of Jim O'Brien and Jim O'Brien, Jr. The Y team won this on their experience mainly, 21-7, 21-17. Jim O'Brien, a cagey player, had everything going for him. By the way, this chap has nine children, five girls and four boys, and the oldest played with him. No wonder he took up handball!

Vince LaRocca and Vince LaRocca won over Les Urquico and Howard Hall, 21-18, 6-21, 21-9. Again the relentless play of Vincés' prevailed. They kept the pressure on, although losing rather badly in the second game, came back strongly to beat the pants off the opposition in the third stanza.

George Dickieson and Charlie Sackett defeated Mel Callewert and Andy Tilletson in three games, 16-21, 21-20, 21-4. Throughout two games our boys looked sick until Charlie and George changed sides, our Charlie then looked like a champ. The opposition, dampened with the wear of two games, couldn't hold back the "strong boys" from the Texas pampas. Shining with an array of shots, he practically won the game and match single handed 21-4. Let's keep it up now, huh, Charlie?

We will have more repeats with the Y teams and other clubs. The Sacramento Elks, San Jose Y.M.C.A., Oakland

(continued)

ELMER C. GUNTHER

RAY, MARTIN & RAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANBOME ST.

SAN FRANCISCO 4

THE
Iron Duke

DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

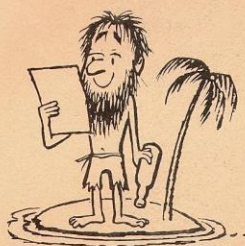


Cocktails — Dinners
Luncheons — Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

AROUND THE COVE

With Don Kane



With the apple and cherry blossoms once again in bloom our thoughts returned to the beginning of another new swimming season. Not that the apple or cherry blossoms remind us of Dolphin Club swimmers but each

year at this time more and more young Dolphin Club swimmers are competing for their schools and some of the boys are making outstanding names for themselves in the ever increasingly tough swimming world. The following is a rundown on some of the Dolphin clubbers swimming in collegiate and high school competition.

Gary Boundy, a senior at San Francisco State College is a favorite to win the California State College 100 yard freestyle championship. Gary is also a member of the undefeated Olympic Club Swim Team.

Dick Hackett is a member of the very strong Oakland Junior College Swim Team.

Gene Gaynor, a second year man at San Francisco City College, Gene has changed over from the backstroke to freestyle and is training for the 440.

Jay Fritz, after a bout with mononucleus last season is back for another season at Dartmouth.

Hank Fourcade, no longer eligible at Stanford, is doing his swimming at the Olympic Club. Hank is a pre-med student studying at U.C. Hospital.

Tom Rosen, a junior at San Francisco State was one of State's outstanding water polo players last semester.

Bob Farrell, a new Dolphin clubber is a senior at Saint Ignatius High School and is the most powerful all-around high school swimmer in San Francisco this season.

Lynn Fritz, Jay's younger brother, is also a student at Saint Ignatius. Lynn, Bob and their team mates should have little trouble defending their AAA crown won last year.

BRIDE AND GROOM DEPT.! Saint Lawrence O'Toole Church in Oakland was the setting for the marriage of Miss Susan Frank to former sprint star and recently initiated Dolphin Ted Lambertson. The wedding took place February 27th and the couple will make their home in San Francisco.

Former Cal Cheerleader and swimmer Kevin Keith was married to Miss Marlene Collier who is a former Stanford songleader. The couple will make their home in San Francisco and it looks like it will be Big Game time all the time in this household.

(30)

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

Let's talk about the guy who might be the most important member of the Dolphin Club. When we say important, we mean a man who does things which are so important to the Club. For instance, if races are being held at Lake Merced or Guerneville on the Russian River, who is at the boathouse with his truck to haul the barges, skiffs, and equipment? You guessed it, none other than Scotty Tarantino.

Scotty not only hauls the boats but he enters the races as well and the records will show that Scotty holds the novice single skiff championship by defeating Roland Demarais in a very close and exciting race in 1958.

Again, under the heading of important work done. Who sells the most tickets when the Club has a raffle and who cooks and cracks those first of the season crabs for the Old Timers' Dinner? Everyone knows the evening would not be complete unless Scotty and his partner, Dom Anzalone, danced the tarantella.

Being an all-around athlete, Scotty teamed up with his son Sonny in the handball doubles and gave a good account of himself.

A keen sense of humor and a wonderful personality make Scotty Tarantino one of the most popular and well liked men of the Club.

Scotty Tarantino
and wife
Rose



MERIONETTES TO FLORIDA

The San Francisco Merionettes Synchronized Swim Team will leave S. F. March 28 for West Palm Beach, Florida where they will compete in the Senior National Indoor A.A.U. Synchronized Swimming Championships.

The group, coached by Marion Kane, placed third in the Outdoor National Championships at Detroit, Michigan last August. The team missed qualifying for the Pan American Games by one point. Club swimming champion Don Kane will accompany the team to Florida acting as assistant coach and manager. The Merionettes will be featured in the Dolphin Club Aquacade scheduled for October 22 at Larsen Pool.



Sergeant Gene Messerschmidt of the San Francisco Police Department, a Dolphin Gate Swimmer, is training a newly formed Frogmen Patrol of his fellow officers. Pictured here are the frogmen jumping off the Dolphin float. Left to right: Off. Don Cavanaugh, Sgt. Gene Messerschmidt, Off. Dick Moore and Off. Paul Schneider.

CLUB 1960 HANDBALL SINGLES START SATURDAY, MARCH 12th

1st Round of Play

1st CLASS: Double Elimination -

1. Don Maginis - BYE
2. Dino Landucci, Jr. vs Geo. Dickieson
3. Don Baggiani - BYE
4. V. P. LaRocca (younger) vs Ray (coach)
Belluomini, Sr.
5. Joe Bruno - BYE
6. Mario Guevara vs Vince LaRocca
7. Charlie Sackett vs Howard Hall
8. Ted Monell - BYE

2nd CLASS: Round Robin

1. Bob Demo vs Tony Sheridan
2. Joaquin Claveria vs Al De La Torre
3. Paul Silvester vs S. T. Tarantino

3rd CLASS: Double Elimination

1. Jim Vanya - BYE
2. John McCartney vs Al LaRocca
3. Rico Passanissi - BYE
4. Lawton Hughes vs Marvin Green
5. Frank Grady - BYE
6. Ray Belluomini, Jr. vs Courtland Lee
7. Fred Herms vs Ed Salcedo
8. Leo LaRocca - BYE

NOVICE CLASS: Round Robin

1. Walt Schneeбели vs Tom Gould
2. Jack LaRocca vs Domenic Cannizzaro
3. Wm. Pfister vs Bob Mahoney
4. Geo. De Gear vs Frank Drum
5. Lino Scrivant vs Dennis Silvester

POST WINNERS AND SCORES ON DRAW SHEET AFTER EACH CONTEST

REMEMBER ROWING DAY!

CAPTAIN SPEAKS

Recent incidents involving rough treatment to our boats urged me to pass on a few "standard" reminders.

Beginners or novice oarsmen please refrain from taking any boat out unless accompanied by an experienced man. Your asking for trouble and probably going to subject the equipment to abuse.

Here's a few things to check before launching a boat:

1. Is the boat in good enough shape to take out?
2. Check the oars - are they the right size for the boat?
3. Is the cork in? If not - get one.
4. Life jackets - don't ever forget these no mater how good a swimmer you are.

Of course there are other factors to consider but these points will help you to better and safer boating.

DOLPHINS DEFEAT Y.M.C.A. TEAMS (continued)

Y.M.C.A., Berkeley Y.M.C.A., and the San Francisco Fire Dept. are only a few of the clubs on the agenda in the near future.

Another exhibition of handball doubles has been scheduled for Thursday, March 17th. The 1st of 3 matches will start at 6 P.M. Dolphins vs S. F. Fire Department.

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor

As we prepare to type this column our thoughts turn to the passing of Stan Rybicki. We will miss him as a friend and a Dolphin. Most of the personals and items you have read in this column were sent in to me by Stan as little weekly notes — usually there was a P.S., “Remind those hamburgers to pay their dues.”



Attention is called to all oarsmen to the Rowing Opening Day at Lake Merced, Sunday, March 20. Our beautiful new quarters deserve a big turnout. Starting time, 1:00 P.M.

We are happy to welcome DON BAGGIANI aboard the Booster List. Don, who will be a Life Member this year, has a long record of Club service and athletic accomplishment. Don served as president in 1943 and 1944, one of the very few to hold office two terms, and he has served on the Board as a director or an officer for ten years. Don has won literally shelves of handball and swimming trophies. He has made 15 Dolphin Golden Gate Swims and three Chronicle swims.

BOAT HOUSE RULES

- No member in arrears in obligations to the Club in the amount of \$6.25 or more shall use any Club apparatus, boats and handball courts or be allowed any other privileges of the Club.

USE OF BOATS

- No member shall take out a Club boat without first making a record of same in the log book. Such record shall state the following: (1) Name of Boat (2) Name of Passenger (3) Date and Hour (4) Intent of Destination.

Acquaint yourself with the BOAT HOUSE RULES and follow them.



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Don Baggiani	Past President	Joined 1935
Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

BE A DOLPHIN BOOSTER!
BOOSTER LISTING \$5.00 PER YEAR
DIRECTORY LISTING \$8.00 PER YEAR

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTTO
 SIL OLIVA, Mgr.
 DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM
COCKTAILS
 NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF, SAN FRANCISCO - ORdway 3-9565

FISH
POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
 CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
 GRaystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XII, NUMBER 3

APRIL, 1960

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

INSTALLATION DINNER DANCE SLATED SATURDAY, MAY 14

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The annual baseball game (married men versus single men) is behind us. It was a hard fought game, both sides having some good handball players on their teams. I am convinced that our game, when resumed again next year, should be played in the new Giants' stadium at Candlestick Cove, and I am sure that we can draw a gate that will dwarf those sluggers, especially with Ray, our able V.P., to attend to the feed after the battle. I don't know of a more encouraging sight than seeing those hardy Dolphins spending the rest of the day at the Club relaxing and playing the game again over a delicious salad, steak and a glass of "vino".

Our next event is the combined Ladies Night and Installation Banquet at the Club on May 14. Plan to be there as we have something planned that will give you an evening of fun such as you have never before experienced. The evening will start at 6 p.m. with a hospitality hour of cocktails and amusements.

Dinner at 7:30 at \$3.75 per person.

Dancing and party games.

So come and bring the ladies for a real Dolphin night.

As our seating capacity is limited, get your reservations in early. For reservations phone Lawton Hughes, OV 1-0761.

Tom Troneum

HANDBALL SINGLES TOURNAMENT APPROACHING FINALS by Mario Guevara

With the last lap to go in our annual club handball singles tournament it can be said that this one has had its share of surprises and thrills. And our Handball Commissioner - Ray Belluomini is certainly on his toes keeping all concerned on the beam. The outside competition and extra handball tournaments - like the Bay Counties Doubles round-robin; exhibition play against Central Y.M.C.A., S.F. Fire Department "Quickie" singles and "Handicap" doubles have led most of us to play a better game. This is so true among our young players.

As it stands now in the 1st Class Loser's Bracket, George (gift-of-gab) Dickieson meets Vince (older) LaRocca. The winner of this match plays Dino Landucci, Jr. for the final in this section. Then the winner will chal-

DINNER TO BE SERVED AT CLUBHOUSE RESERVATIONS ARE NECESSARY

Fun, Fun, Fun! That's the order for the evening of the Annual Installation Dinner Dance to be held at the Club Saturday, May 14.

Because of a previous postponement the dinner dance will be held in combination with the originally scheduled Ladies' Night.

Lawton Hughes, who will chairman the event, will reach into his bag of tricks and stage some bang-up party games for the delight of all guests.

The menu includes rib roast, salad, paste, and dessert. Tab for the evening is \$3.75.

Cocktails will be served at 6:00 and dinner at 7:30.

Music will be provided by Al Borelli and his orchestra.

Let's give President Tom Troneum and the new officers a real send-off by attending.

Reservations will be limited; either sign on the Club bulletin board or phone Lawton Hughes, OV 1-0761.

lenge Mario Guevara, the winner of the Winner's Bracket, in the Championship match.

Second Class is a little slower in resolving itself, but here's how it stacks up now. In the Loser's Bracket, Freddie Herms meets Ray Belluomini, Jr., the winner will meet the winner of the Lawton Hughes vs Al LaRocca match and the winner of this match will play Leo LaRocca who is standing by for the latter outcome. Now, the results of this will produce an opponent for "Moon" Passanissi, the winner of the Winner's Bracket in the final Championship game.

Whereas the 1st Class and 3rd Class are using the Double elimination type of play the 2nd Class and Novice have the Round-Robin method. Here are their standings.

2nd Class

	Wins	Losses
Tony Sheridan	3	0
Joaquin Claveria	2	1
Al De La Torre	0	3
Paul Silvester	0	3
S. T. Tarantino	3	0
Bob Demo	1	1

(continued on page 2)

HANDBALL SINGLES TOURNAMENT (continued)

Novice		
Walt Schneebeil	1	4
Tom Gould	3	1
Jack LaRocca	1	1
Dom Cannizzaro	2	0
William Pfister	6	0
Bob Mahoney	1	1
Geo. De Gear	0	3
Frank Drum	2	4
Dennis Silvester	1	3
Lino Scrivant	withdrawn	

"Coach" Ray Belluomini has announced the fielding of singles and doubles entries into the United States Handball Association - National Championships to be held at the Olympic Club April 23 - 30.

WHO WON THE GAME?

by Mario Guevara

It seems year after year the same question arises, "Who won the game?", and no one will ever give you the correct facts. Perhaps tradition has it to be part of the fun. But I do wonder how many of us know who won the big ball game? Was it the married men, or was it the single men?

Mass confusion at this affair seems to be the funniest element of all. Each team has its mad flurry of runs and its share of "fixed" or crooked umpires or scorekeepers.

The single men claim, "Those old guys didn't stand a chance!" While the married men state that their great experience and play won it easily for them.

It really matters little who won. The main thing is that everyone had a good time, plenty of laughs, and enjoyed good fellowship. Being a part of it is the main thing. More of our membership should join in and collect the benefits - all you have to do is participate.

By the way, does anyone know who won the ball game?

TOM CAN COOK TOO

After the ball game a barbecue lunch was given at the Club with our esteemed President, Tom Troneum, at the helm as barbecue chef turning out the tasty steaks on his newly hand built barbecue pit.

Ray Belluomini, the other hand, was shouting out orders to the galley slaves, who at closer look, resembled, Bob Mahoney, Dennis Silvester, Mike Farrell, & George Dickinson, and Frank Mennucci.

WE THE DOLPHINS

by Bud Sterling



Have you ever noticed a quiet soft spoken Irishman round the Club? If you haven't, let's introduce Captain Tim O'Shea of the San Francisco Fire Department.

Tim will be remembered as one of the fastest sprinters ever developed at St. Ignatius and his relay team still holds the record. Besides being a track star, Tim also played baseball, so it is easy to understand why you will see him in the grandstand whenever old S. I. performs. Being a lover of all sports Tim took up the game of handball and not only won trophies in the Dolphin Club but also the Fire Department. His underhand kill shots made him one of the most feared players in the first class division.

While a member of the Club he has served as director, captain, handball commissioner, and has acted as judge on Lime Point for numerous Golden Gate swims.

Tim is the handy man around the Club. You will find him repairing the boats, painting the boathouse, or working on the sun deck.

To a member deserving plenty of praise, let's salute this jovial Irishman, Tim O'Shea.

TOM CAN COOK TOO (continued)

A delightful sight was the wives present at this fair. As a rule this is conducted as a stag, but at the insistence of a few members, Ray Belluomini, chairman of the luncheon, decided it was high time to invite the ladies.

Mrs. Howard Hall, Mrs. Michael Farrell, Mrs. Mario Guevara and three children, Mrs. Dino Landucci, Jr. and new baby, were a few of the guests at the Club.

After the lunch handball trophies were presented. First place trophy was awarded to Dino Landucci, Jr. and Mario Guevara for the "Quickie" Singles Tournament held last year.

Vince (older) LaRocca and Leo (Gans) LaRocca were presented with first place awards and Don Baggiani and Pat Schofield took the hardware for the second place honors in the Handicap Doubles.

Consolation awards went to Vince (younger) LaRocca and Ted Monell.

The entire presentation was conducted by Ray Belluomini, Handball Commissioner, who cited all the ball players for their whole hearted cooperation in the tournaments.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
RAY, MARTIN & RAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS OF CALIFORNIA
 BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
 GARFIELD 1-5931
 114 BANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
 Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

S. F. MERIONETTES PLACE THIRD

The S.F. Merionettes placed third in the National A.A.U. Synchronized Swimming championships held at West Palm Beach, Florida on April 1, 2, 3. Representatives of the S.F. also placed 4th in duet competition and 7th and 8th in the solo division. This was the first time that the Merionettes qualified as finalists in all three divisions contested in a national championship meet.

The girls that make up the team were the youngest group entered in the national meet. Organized only three years ago by Marion Kane, the Merionettes have shown remarkable progress as their performance in Florida has proven.

The Merionettes along with many Dolphins will be featured in the 2nd annual Dolphin Aquacade slated for Sat. October 22nd at the Larsen Pool.

HOUSE BOAT RULES

14. On recommendation of the Captain, any member violating any of the House Rules or any of the rules affecting or regulating the use of the boats of the Club, or guilty of disorderly conduct in or around the Club, or using profane language while in the Club House or around the Club in Club uniform, or while using Club equipment shall be liable to a fine of not less than \$2.50 to be imposed by the President.
15. Ladies will be permitted in and about the Boat House only when accompanied by a member. Under such circumstances they shall be permitted the use of the dressing room and showers provided for them as guests of the Club.

DOLPHINS HOST FIREMEN

Thursday night, March 31, the Dolphins played host to the S. F. Fire Department and staged three handball doubles exhibition matches winning one and dropping two.

Our sole victory was scored by Bob Demo and George Dickieson over Bob Moore and Chick Develin, 21-17, 21-12.

Charlie Sackett and Vince (younger) LaRocca lost to Joe Kukula and Paul Dublin, 21-12, 21-18. Charlie and Vince didn't do badly coming up against such a "war-horse" as Kukula.

Dino Landucci, Jr. and Mario Guevara lost to Bob Coyle and Walter Figini 21-6, 15-21, 21-8, in a hot and cold played contest.



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Don Baggiani	Past President	Joined 1935
Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

RUSSIAN RIVER WATER CARNIVAL


SAT. & SUN., JUNE 4 & 5

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.
Also Broiled Steaks and Chops

DINING ROOM DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565



FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
GGraystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XII, NUMBER 45

AUGUST 1960

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

AQUATIC PARK HANDICAP SWIM & LUNCH, SAT., AUG. 20



Three lads from Hanna Boys Center enjoy the paddleboards as guests of the Club.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Hanna Boys' Day was a huge success, due to the untiring efforts of a great committee.

Our next event will be the Cove Handicap Swim on August 20. Some of the members are already in great shape. However, others have denied themselves athletics and sunbathing and have devoted their spare time to renovating boats so that the participants will have adequate protection in the Gate Swim.

Also, the big boat, "Wieland" (for which the members put forth a sum of money sometime back) is being reconditioned. This work is under the capable leadership of Lawton Hughes and cooperating are other loyal Dolphins, namely; Wally Smith, Myron Heckman, Tom Spencer and various others. Great progress has been made toward restoring this time-honored craft, and it is only fair to mention the fine display of self-sacrifice motivated by loyalty and devotion to our Club. Their motto is to put something into the club, rather than allowing the next fellow to undertake the upkeep. As you well know, we are an incorporated organization, and therefore should stand "one for all and all for one". This should be particularly in evidence now that "Project X" is about to be revived, and which will have an important bearing on the survival of the swimming and boating clubs.

SWIM STARTS AT 12 NOON

With the aid of UNIVAC an IBM machine and his crystal ball Frank Adams has doped out the starting times on the annual Aquatic Park Handicap Swim scheduled for Saturday, August 20, at 12 Noon.

Here is how Frank arrives at the handicaps:

Valencia	1959 net time . . .	20 min. 29 sec.	
Kane	1959 net time . . .	16 min. 58 sec.	
	(subtract)	3 min. 31 sec.	is

Hector Valencia's handicap for 1960.

Swimmers will negotiate the three-quarters of a mile over the same course they swam last year.

Last year's winner, Voldy Walter has 6 min. 38 sec. added to his handicap of last year and he will hit the water at 12:09.43. Walt Schneebeil and Ed Curtis came in second and third respectively in '59.

A barbecued steak lunch will be served in the Keenan Room at 1:00 p.m. after the swim. Reservations are necessary - sign at the Club.

(continued page 3)

USE YOUR CLUB

"NEW" WIELAND TO BE ROWED TO CANDLESTICK PARK

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling



Ray Belluomini, Handball Commissioner

Usually athletic and social clubs are judged by their representatives and officers. In this respect the Dolphin Club is very fortunate in having a representative by the name of Ray Belluomini.

With his pleasing personality and his ability to gain the confidence and friendship of the members Ray has become one of the Club's best handball commissioners. He has been instrumental in promoting those "quickie" tournaments which keep the members in practice and stimulate interest among the novices in between the Club's championship tournaments.

Incidentally, Ray is quite a player himself and always makes a good showing when he participates in the first class. His pal George Dickieson informs us that Ray won numerous trophies both in singles and doubles while a member of the Y.M.I. Tony Sheridan tells us those inter-club matches which Ray arranges creates loads of good fellowship among the Dolphins; members of the other clubs, and the Fire Department.

Although Ray Sleeps, eats, and drinks handball he finds time to work on other committees. It was not long before the Club recognized his wonderful spirit and lost no time to electing him Club director and later to Vice President, which office he now holds.

So any of you new members who like to play handball just look for handball commissioner Ray Belluomini at the Club and you will meet a regular guy.

(He is also becoming the Bill Leiser of the Log's sports department, Editor.)

HUSBANDS ROW; WIVES TAKE BUS

Down the Bay we will row, row, row, out to the old ball game at Candlestick Park, Saturday, September 3.

After eight years of drydock the venerable 83-year-old six-oared barge the *John Wieland* will slip into the water again carrying a boatload of 12 Dolphins.

The crew will leave Aquatic Park at 10 a.m. and will cover the ten mile stretch of water in about an hour and a half.

Alternating on the rowing chores will be President Tom Troneum, Lawton Hughes, Frank Mennucci, Charlie Yeager, George DeGear, Wally Smith, Howard Hall, Les Hendry, Tom Spencer, Myron Heckman, Roland Demarais, and Bud Sterling doing the navigating as coxswain.

The excursion is the brainchild of Lawton Hughes who has secured a block of 30 tickets for the Giant-Dodger game.

Wives and lady friends of the crew will leave as a group from a bus at Fishermens' Wharf which will take them directly to the ballpark.

The *Wieland's* last venture was in October 1952 when the boat was swamped in very rough water on a return trip from Angel Island. Clinging to the sides of the boat for a half hour the Dolphins were sighted by a fishing boat which picked them up and towed the *Wieland* to Aquatic Park.

Named after John Wieland, a San Francisco brewery owner and one of the founding fathers of the Club, the boat was built in 1877.

All of the present crew have spent many long hours on the repair of the *Wieland* which now sports a new fiberglass bottom and a new coat of varnish.

RACCOON STRAITS SWIM & LUNCH

Saturday, September 10, is the date set for the annual swim across the Raccoon Straits.

Jump-off time for the three-quarter mile paddle is slated for about 11:00 a.m. Watch the Club bulletin board for the exact time. Swimmers will gather before the swim at the Corinthian Yacht Club in Tiburon and be transported by boat to the north end of Angel Island for the jump-off.

After the swim a lunch for swimmers and their guests will be served at the Corinthian Yacht Club. Reservations are necessary.

ELMER C. GUNTHER

BAYLY, MARTIN & BAY, INC.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

THE
Iron Duke

DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets



Your Host DUKE DUPUIS



Thirty-eight youngsters from the Hanna Boys Center pose after a day of aquatics last month.

HANDICAP STARTING TIMES

Swimmer	1959 Handicap	1960 Handicap
Bill O'Brien	12 Noon	12 Noon
Oke Johnson	2.45 sec.	.30 sec.
Mario Guevara	2.30 sec.	.30 sec.
Paul Melee	6.50 sec.	2.30 sec.
Mel Henry	3.10 sec.	2.30 sec.
Ted Monell	3.14 sec.	3.02 sec.
Dr. Fred Howard	4.00 sec.	4.26 sec.
Joe Weiss	5.00 sec.	4.28 sec.
Ed deCossio	4.40 sec.	4.33 sec.
Dave Hinton	6.00 sec.	5.31 sec.
Frank Drum	7.00 sec.	5.38 sec.
Joe Bruno	10.13 sec.	6.54 sec.
Tom Troneum	7.18 sec.	7.31 sec.
Ed Curtis	5.33 sec.	7.46 sec.
Bill Phister	7.10 sec.	8.10 sec.
Voldy Walter	3.05 sec.	9.43 sec.
Cliff Quist	9.46 sec.	9.49 sec.
Richard Hackett	15.08 sec.	11.51 sec.
Walt Schneebeli	9.00 sec.	12.28 sec.
Hector Valencia	17.23 sec.	16.29 sec.
Joe Flahaven	19.49 sec.	17.33 sec.

NOTE: New swimmers will receive their handicap prior to the swim.

HANNA CENTER BOYS ENJOY DAY

Stuffed with fried chicken and ice cream the boys from the Hanna Center left the Keenan Room last July 16 quite unable to eat another bite.

The lunch was served after a morning filled with aquatic sports in which the boys competed in paddleboard, canoe and swimming races.

Under the direction of Jim Healey, former athletic director at the Hanna Boys Center the lads arrived from Sonoma by bus for their annual day of frolic at the Club.

President Tom Troneum instructed the boys on the art of handling a canoe. After lunch the boys witnessed an exhibition handball game between Lawton Hughes and George Dickieson.

COMING EVENTS

Raccoon Straits Swim and Lunch	Sat., Sept. 10
Family Picnic on Angel Island	Sun., Sept. 18
Golden Gate Swim	Sun., Oct. 2
Initiation	Sun., Oct. 9
Old Timers' Dinner	Sat., Nov. 5

AROUND THE COVE

with Don Kane



The annual Aquatic Park Handicap Swim is scheduled for Saturday, August 20 and will begin promptly at 12:00 Noon.

The course will be the same as in the past, starting from the Dolphin Club beach, swimming counter clockwise around the cove following the designated markers and finishing back at

the starting point.

Dolphin Club expert Handicapper FRANK ADAMS will again estimate times so that theoretically, all swimmers will finish at the same time. Fortunately for the timers and judges this does not happen very often.

However, all swimmers must make either or both the Aquatic Park Handicap Swim or the Raccoon Straits Swim to qualify for the Golden Gate Swim.

Who are the speedsters to watch for this year? There are many including: HECTOR VALENCIA, LYNN FRITZ, JOE FLAHAVEN, BOB FARRELL and GENE GAYNOR.

There will be a stag barbecue steak luncheon immediately following the Cove swim in the JOSEPH KEENAN Room. Swimmer's note: this is a must - don't miss this swim!

The San Francisco Merionettes, competing in the Senior National AAU Synchronized Swimming Championships at Hartford, Connecticut July 15-17 placed in every event on the program.

In the Solo division, LOUELLA SOMMERS who was previously ranked seventh nationally, upset the oddmakers by placing second to two time national champion PAPSIE GEORGIAN from Oakland's Athens A.C.

LOUELLA, teaming with PHYLLIS FIRMAN, placed second in the Duet division.

In the Team division, the Merionettes continued their destined climb to stardom by giving the heralded Athens A.C. the stiffest competition they have had in eight years. The Merionettes came within two points of creating the biggest upset since the humpty-dumpty incident. California teams continued their domination of national competition in this sport as the top three teams and soloists at the Hartford meet are from our golden state. Three of top four duets were also from California.

A week following the Senior nationals at Hartford, the Merionettes won the Junior Nationals at Union, New Jersey scoring 99.515 points. This represents the highest point total any team has ever scored in Junior National competition. The six girl team that traveled east includes: MARY WHYBROW, LOUELLA SOMMERS, MARGARET DURBROW, SHARON HOOD, PHYLLIS FIRMAN and BRADNA FISHER. Following the New Jersey meet, Sharon Hood departed for Europe and the Olympic Games at Rome, Italy where she will demonstrate the sport of synchronized swimming.

These girls will be featured in the Dolphin-Merionettes aquacade scheduled for October 22nd at Larsen Pool.

"GANS" - DINO, JR. HANDBALL CHAMPS

By Ray Belluomini

There has been nothing like it since the Year One! Dino "Vacuum" Landucci, Jr. teamed up with Leo "Gans" LaRocca won the doubles title for 1960 over "Big" Vince LaRocca and Pat "Big Feet" Schofield, 21-12, 14-21, 21-12.

Grandpa Leo with his tricky bounce serve down the left seemed to bother "Big" Vince's strong left hand.

Congratulations especially to Dino, Jr., who is improving all the time and to Pat Schofield for playing such a fine game in fast company.

Other teams in first class were Joe Bruno and Joaquin Claveria, Scotty Tarantino and Howard Hall, Charlie Sackett and Bob Demo, Don Baggiani and Al LaRocca, Vince P. LaRocca and Rico Passanissi, Ray Belluomini, Sr. and Ray Belluomini, Jr.

Second class was won by the Police Department's Frank Grady and Marvin Green over Fireman Frank Blackburn and sausage salesman Mike Farrell, 21-17, 21-17.

Other teams in second class were Bob Mahoney and Lawton Hughes, Jim Vanya and Frank Drum, Paul Silvester and Dennis Silvester, Jack LaRocca and Bill Phister, Walt Schneebeli and Ed Giovannoni.

During the coming months we will have games with other Bay Area clubs.

On July 24 we played the Sacramento Elks at home; on August 12 we have a return match in Sacramento.

105 MILE ROW TO STATE FAIR

Three iron muscled Dolphins will row 105 miles from the clubhouse up the Sacramento River to the State Fair on the Labor Day weekend.

Joe Weiss, Ed deCossio, and Ed Curtis will depart Friday night on a flood tide in the double-oared pleasure barge the James Farrel loaded with sleeping bags and food.

They plan on 24 hours of actual rowing time and should arrive in Sacramento on Sunday morning.

MORE DOLPHIN BOOSTERS NEEDED

The Club is growing and consequently the members are making more news. That is why we think it is necessary to occasionally come out with a large edition of the Log such as we did this month.

Unfortunately our BOOSTER LIST has not been growing. The loyal membership that has taken ads and has subscribed to the BOOSTER LIST is to be congratulated but these supporters only represent a small percentage of the membership.

Why not every Past President, every Life Member, every handball player, every swimmer, every oarsman a DOLPHIN BOOSTER?

A five dollar check mailed to Frank Mennucci, Financial Secretary, 169 Avila St., will show your Club spirit and loyalty.

The Editor



Some men can't get enough swimming - on Sunday, September 11, the day after the Raccoon Strait's Swim, WALT SCHNEEBELI will match strokes with South Ender Ray Saviglano for a six mile paddle from Sausalito to Aquatic Park. JOE WEISS and JERRY HAWRYLUK will do the piloting.

Congratulations to MR & MRS. ERHARDT SCHUNNEMAN on the birth of a son PAUL ERHARDT born July 16. The future oarsman weighed in at 9 lbs., 6 oz.

DR. STEVE GAAL, III, is now in residence at U.C. Hospital where he is specializing in orthopedic surgery.

Working with TOM TRONEUM, new members TOM SPENCER and MYRON HECKMAN have shown real Club spirit in the fine job they did in fibreglassing the *Wieland*.

FRANK BLAIR, a new member and fast swimmer, is in Rome witnessing the Olympic Games. Attn. Swimming Commissioner: Frank has some very fine films showing overlapping and sprint strokes which could be shown at the next swimmer's meeting.

The Club has another member who knows his way around the galley - Claude Walters performed skillfully at the lunch for the Hanna Center boys. He was ably assisted by GEORGE DICKIESON, TIM O'SHEA, and BILL O'BRIEN. Adding a touch of feminine beauty were KAREN TRONEUM and JACKIE BENJAMIN who did the serving.

There will be a new Dolphin Golden Gate Swim champion this year for Don Kane is retiring. Don, who has annexed the title the past four years, established a Club record in 1958 of 19 min. 48 sec. The Champ plans to organize and coach a boys' swimming team in this area in the near future.

CLUB RULES

1. Guests are not to use Club equipment.
2. All boats and paddleboards are to be logged.
3. Damaged boating equipment is to be reported immediately to the Captain or Club Officer.



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Ed de Cossio	Rower	Joined 1955
Roland Demarais	Past President	Joined 1946
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Frank Mennucci	Past President	Joined 1940
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952


JOIN THE BOOSTER LIST!

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF - SAN FRANCISCO - ORday 3-9565

A black and white line drawing of three fish swimming in water. The fish on the left is a striped fish, the middle one is a striped fish, and the one on the right is a spotted fish. They are all facing right. There are small circles representing bubbles around them. The drawing is enclosed in a rectangular border.

FISH

POULTRY



G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XII, NUMBER 4

JULY 1960

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

DOLPHINS HOST HANNA CENTER BOYS SAT., JULY 16

"BIG" VINCE LA ROCCA - HANDBALL CHAMP

By Ray Belluomini

Congratulations to the new singles champion, "Big" Vince La Rocca, son of that old fox, Al La Rocca.

"Big" Vince not only won the singles title of the Club, but he also won first place in first class in the AAU PAA tournament which had a total of 186 players representing at least 11 Bay Area clubs in the five classes.

That dancing Irishman, Anthony Sheridan, finally won the second class title. Take my advice Tony and learn how to hop the ball because that first class is getting tougher with those younger players improving each year. Ask Don Baggiani if you don't believe me. Old age is catching up with us, eh Don?

Third class was won by Rico Passanissi with second place taken by Al La Rocca.

Keep playing Rico, because from my viewpoint you were the most improved player in the tournament.

Novice class was won by Bill Phister who improved tremendously in each game he played. Nice going Bill.

The doubles tournament is progressing to the finals with eight teams in each of the two.

We will list the winners in the next issue.

CLUB WELCOMES 23 NEW MEMBERS

Twenty-three new members were accepted into the Club during the last quarter swelling the roster to a total of 328.

New members include: Mathew Moons, Joseph Ambrose, Frank Blair, Thomas Spencer, William Ricci, Edwin Lindquist, Raymond Belli, Herbert Jackson, Theodore Connelly, Claude Walters, John Wishovich, Reginald Southcott, William Ferguson, Henry Meuller, Michael Milliman, James Martinez, Sr., Chris Makaila, Reino Erkkila, Gordon Helmer, John Stephenson, Robert Hoff, Robert Webb, and Gordon Cook.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Installation and Ladies' Night banquet turned out to be one of the best in many years due to the untiring efforts of such men as our chairman Lawton Hughes and his committee members, Ray Belluomini, Bob Mahoney, Frank Drumm, George DeGear, Frank Mennucci, Bill O'Brien, and Charles Yeager as Maitre de and Bud Sterling as M.C. Last, but not least, is our Chef Andy Dunne, who can now compete with Mardikian and other greats of the culinary world. To all these and the many other Dolphins and their ladies who came and enjoyed the affair, I wish to express my sincere thanks.

* * *

As time rolls along we turn our thoughts to July 16. This is the day when the Dolphin Club plays host to the Hanna boys.

These lads from Hanna Boys Center are American boys who are victims of misfortunes such as broken homes; homes perhaps broken by deaths in the family, etc. Thanks to the unselfish devotion of the directors of the Hanna Center, these boys are God-fearing, courteous and well-mannered. They are co-operative and fearless in combat sports, yet they always display good sportsmanship.

The Hanna boys will enjoy the facilities of the Club for a day. Rowing, canoeing, swimming, and paddleboard racing, topped off with a hearty lunch, are on the days agenda. When the day is at an end, the boys will tiredly board the big bus that will return them across the bay to their beds at the Hanna Center.

Jim Healy, boxer, wrestler and respected member of the Dolphin Club, is the director of the boys day at the Club. Hanna Boys Day at the Club has, in the past, been a great success, and most of us leave that day with the wonderful feeling of knowing that we have done something to help those less fortunate than we. So, Dolphins, try to be on hand to greet these fine little lads. You will never regret it.

Tom Troneum

In memory of

HENRY KANTER

Past President

Joined the Club 1910

WORK PARTIES SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS

Hands are needed to pitch in on workdays slated every Saturday and Sunday beginning at 10 A.M.

Number one priority is boat repair in order to have them in shape for the Gate Swim-how about it swimmers?

Other projects scheduled include painting the front of the building, remodeling the storeroom, and repairing the lockers.

Charlie Yeager, back after a sojourn in Florida, has assumed the Captaincy duties and built some cabinets in the locker room. Tom Troneum and Wally Smith have worked on the sundeck.

Others who have wielded brushes and hammer include Tim O'Shea, Lawton Hughes, Frank Drum, Ray Belluomini, Dick Andreetta, George DeGear, BUD STERLING, Andy DeMay, Cal Hewes, Len Howard, Ed deCossio, Walt Schneebeli, and Jim Martinez.

SWIM SCHEDULE

The Board of Directors announce the following swim schedule:

Saturday, August 20, Aquatic Park Handicap Swim
Saturday, September 10, Raccoon Straits Swim and Luncheon at the Corinthian Yacht Club.

Sunday, October 2, Golden Gate Swim.

Members have been invited to enter a one mile swim at Healdsburg on the Russian River, Saturday, August 6. A.A.U. entry blanks are at the Club. Contact Frank Drum for information. Starting time, 10 A.M.

DELINQUENT MEMBERS

With lockers being repaired and checked delinquent members are notified they will forfeit their locker. Any member delinquent three months (\$18.75) is automatically suspended.

Dues should be paid to Frank Mennucci, Financial Secretary, 169 Avila or 1701 Greenwich.

CLUB SWEAT SHIRTS

Every member should have an official Dolphin sweat shirt with your name and Club emblem. They are available at Hirsch & Price, 138 Kearny, for \$4.95

JOIN THE BOOSTER LIST

Why not support the Dolphin Log by putting your name on the Booster List? Send a five dollar check to Frank Mennucci and your name will appear with the Boosters for one year.

AROUND THE COVE

With Don Kane

With Dolphin Club members

BOB FARRELL and LYNN FRITZ leading the way, St. Ignatius High captured the All-City High School swimming title recently at Fleishhacker pool. Lynn, who had established a new 400-yard freestyle record in the



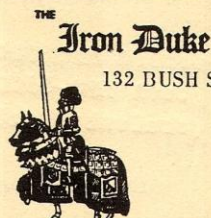
trials came back in the finals to shatter his own record covering the distance in 4:57:3. Bob, entered in the 200-yard individual medley and 100-yard backstroke established a new individual medley record in the trials. In the finals Bob proved to all of his capabilities, by sizzling through the 100 backstroke in 1:03:7, thereby breaking a seven year old AAA record, and slashed 13 seconds off his own individual medley record walking away from the field in 2:30:8. With the performance of Lynn and Bob, both boys must be considered definite leading contenders in this years Golden Gate Swim... BUD STERLING, "Champ-eeen phonic" of the Dolphin Club may have thrown his weight around during the married men vs. single mens' softball game last April but he was put on his "good behavior" at San Quentin on Memorial Day. He accompanied the Olympic Club to the annual San Quentin Olympic Tournament of Champions and was selected to act as third base umpire (of all things) at the championship baseball game of the prison. Who won? Ask BUD!....It's a daughter for MIKE and MARION MILLIMAN! 7 pounds 2 ounce SANDRA LEE was born to the couple on June 12 at St. Luke's Hospital. It is the first child for the MILLIMAN'S. MIKE, a top bay area backstroker will be making his first Golden Gate Swim crossing this year....For the first time in several years, the Dolphin Club will be represented in the famous "Healdsburg Mile Swim" August 10. Leading the Dolphin Club entries will be HECTOR VALENCIA.

S.F. MERIONETTES TO CONNECTICUT

The San Francisco Merionettes are off again! The team composed of six girls, accompanied by coach Marion Olson Kane and Dolphin Club member Don Kane, depart July 13 for Hartford, Connecticut, where they will compete in the Senior National A.A.U. Synchronized Swimming Championships.

USE YOUR CLUB

ELMER C. GUNTHER
LAY, MARTIN & EY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA
BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling



Chef Andy Dunne, the Galley King

Last issue we introduced an Irishman by the name of Tim O'Shea and now comes to mind another Irishman named Andy Dunne who has a most distinct reputation as a member of the Dolphins. It can well be remembered that Andy has prepared some of the most delicious dinners ever served in the Club.

His apprenticeship dated back to Engine 31 Fire House on Green and Leavenworth Streets where Andy served under such renowned chefs as Andy Demo, Louis DeMartini, and the great Garrisino. His creative instincts and his sense of taste soon made his culinary arts the talk of the Club and his sauce for mustoccoli the envy of all his Italian brother members. Andy really reached the heights when he served those delectable dinners to the ladies on Ladies' Night and to the Old Timers.

Yes sir, we are proud of Chef Andy and we feel sure that his recipes would meet with the approval of the greatest connoisseurs of the country.

Besides being a great chef Andy is also a great politician. Through his engaging smile and his suave manner he has been known to control most of the policies of the Club and the candidates of his choice are

(continued to next column)



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

usually elected to office. Naturally his henchman, Herb Derham and Carl Luders, are well schooled in the fundamentals of politics which curriculum takes place on the sun roof.

Andy also belongs to that select group of swimmers who have negotiated the Golden Gate.

To the Dolphin Club it is a joy and a pleasure to have Andy with his Irish wit as a member.

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565

FISH
POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
Graystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



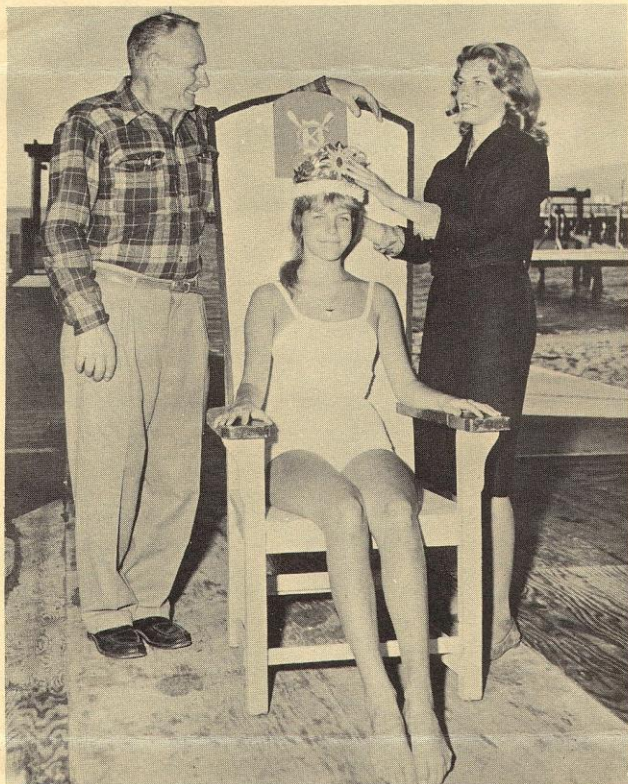
OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XII, NUMBER 6

OCTOBER 1960

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

44TH DOLPHIN GOLDEN GATE SWIM, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2



Karen Troneum reigns as 1960 Golden Gate Swim Queen. President Tom Troneum, her father, and sister Linda admire her crown.

HANDBALL AWARDS DINNER, TUES., OCTOBER 11 By Ray Belluomini

They say there has to be a first for everything and I believe that the dinner for the presentation of handball trophies will be enhanced by the presence of the wives and girl friends of the members.

I hope to see one of the largest groups we ever had. I won't guarantee it but I hope to have a little entertainment.

The place: Caesar's Restaurant, Powell & Bay Streets. Date: Tuesday, October 11. Cocktails: 6:30 p.m. Dinner: 7:30 p.m. Price: \$2.75 (tax & tip included). Sign up at the Club or notify me by phone MA 1-4581.

NEW MEMBERS SUMMONED TO INITIATION SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9th

SWIM DEDICATED IN MEMORY OF STAN RYBICKI

Forty-one Dolphins will enter the Club's Golden Gate Swim, Sunday, October 2, diving at 10 a.m. from the Ft. Point area at the end of a flood tide.

The swim will be dedicated to the memory of Stan Rybicki, Past President and for many years swimming commissioner, who died last April in an auto crash while driving a chief's car in response to a false alarm.

Bob Farrell, 17, all-city swim champion from St. Ignatius High who is presently enrolled at Stanford, is the favorite.

Don Kane, who has annexed the last four Gate titles, elected to retire this year. Don established a Club record in 1958 with a time of 19 min., 48 sec.

Lawton Hughes has set the jump-off time at the at the end of flood tide which usually presents the most favorable swimming conditions.

Thirteen novices will be making their first Gate bid: Frank Blair, Ted Connelly, Gordon Cook, Dick Haggard, Herb Jackson, Mike Milliman, John Stephenson, Bill Williams, Bob Hoff, Jack Mashlakian, Claude Walters, Bob Webb, and Bob Farrell.

After the swim there will be dancing at the clubhouse and trophies will be presented.

Spectators may view the swim from a Harbor Tours boat which will depart from Pier 45 at 9:30 a.m. Tickets are \$1.00.

SCHEDULE

Pilots assemble at Club	7:30 a.m.
Pilots depart	8:30 a.m.
Swimmers assemble at Club	8:00 a.m.
Swimmers' boat departs from Pier 45	9:00 a.m.
Harbor Tours boat departs from Pier 45	9:30 a.m.
Dancing at Club	1:00 p.m.
Presentation of trophies	3:00 p.m.

WIELAND ROWED TO CANDLESTICK



The beginning of a 10 mile excursion to Candlestick Park, Sept. 3. Bud Sterling, Roland Demarais, Tom Spencer, Bill Ellis, Dino Landucci, Jr., Howard Hall, Jim Vanya, Les Hendry, Myron Heckman, Tom Troneum, Wally Smith and Lawton Hughes.

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

The Editor

The mail bag was full this month . . .

Dear Mr. Demarais:

Thank you very much for the copies of the Dolphin Log you sent us. I am sure the boys will enjoy seeing them on our bulletin board.

We are grateful to the officers and members of the Dolphin Club for your many kindnesses to our boys over the years.

Rt. Rev. William L. O'Connor
Director, Hanna Boys Center

Dear Frank:

This is something I've been meaning to do ever since the Booster column was started in the Dolphin Log - just haven't taken the time to sit down and send it. Enclosed is my check for \$5.00 as a Life Member Booster . . .

Although I moved to Fresno in 1938, I always enjoy the Log, reading about what the Dolphins are doing, and seeing the names of old buddies in the Booster column, many of whom I've rowed, swan with, shot the breeze on the sundeck, etc. . . .

Again, my best wishes to the Dolphins. I stopped in the day you put on the deal for the Hanna Boys Club. Thought that was a wonderful thing for our Club to do.

"Mac" McIsaac

Also signing on as BOOSTERS this month were life member RUSS CHANNING, STEVE J. GAAL, DON KANE, and JOE WEISS.

ELMER C. GUNTHER

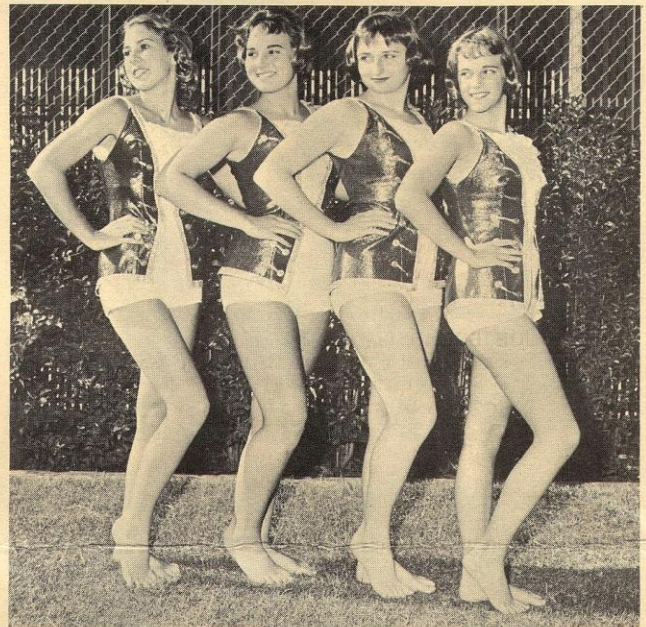
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANSOME ST.

SAN FRANCISCO 4

DOLPHIN-MERIONETTES AQUACADE, SAT., OCT. 22



S. F. Merionettes - Sharon Hood, Phyllis Firman, Louella Sommers, and Margaret Durbrow.

Dolphins will have the opportunity of seeing the new national synchronized swimming team in action - our own S.F. Merionettes, when they perform in the Dolphin-Merionette Aquacade, Saturday, October 22, Larsen Pool, 19th Avenue and Wawona Street.

Childrens' stories and fairy tales will be presented in keeping with the theme "Phantasy Land."

Among the Dolphin events on the program will be the Presidents Cup Race.

Tickets are priced at \$2.00 and \$1.00.

BOB FARRELL WINS RACCOON STRAITS SWIM

Seventeen year old Bob Farrell took a five yard lead just fifty yards from the start, never looked back, and pulled away at the end to win the Dolphin Clubs eighth annual Raccoon Straits Swim on September 10.

Order of the finish and time: Bob Farrell, 14.27; Joe Flahaven, 15.20; Mike Milliman, 15.50; Hector Valencia, 16.20; Al Swanson, 18.20; Vince Cannazarro, 18.22; Bill Williams, 18.24; Vic Winkel, 19.59; Jim Healy, 20.05; Tom Troneum, 20.45; Rudy DeMay, 20.49; Pete Kruger, 26.20; Gordon Cook, 26.56; Joe Bruno, 26.58.

Ken Gaal, 27.30; Dr. Fred Howard, 27.48; John Stephenson, 27.49; Voldi Walters, 28.10; Claude Walters, 28.18; Bob Hoff, 28.20; Cliff Quist, 29.09; Bob Webb, 29.22; Herb Jackson, 29.32; Dan Murphy, 29.38; Steve Gaal, 29.44; Joe Mares, 29.46; Joe Weiss, 30.10; Frank Drum, 30.12; Jack Mashlakian, 30.34; Dick Haggard, 40.

LOCKER ROOM (cont'd)

Heading a work party to paint the outside of the Club are FRANK DRUM and CLIFF QUIST.

THE **Iron Duke**

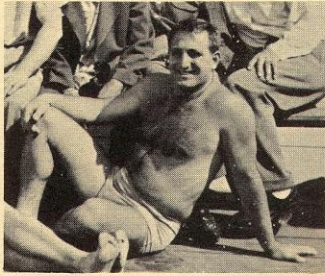
DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets



Your Host DUKE DUPUIS



WE THE DOLPHINS by Bud Sterling

The next time any of you Dolphins are walking on Polk Street just put your nose in the Swan Oyster Depot and say hello to Sal Sancimino, or popularly known Baby Sal.

Baby Sal is the only member in the Club having the distinction of being the father of six future Dolphins - Vincent, the oldest is 11; Stephen, 10; John, 8; Tommy, 6; Jimmy 3½ and Philip, 2½. Yes, Sir!

Sal is a great advocator of the youth movement and you can rest assured when the boys from the Hanna Center visit the Club as guests, Sal will see to it that each and every boy has all the ice cream he can eat.

After a hitch with the Sea Bees in the South Pacific Sal returned to the Club and acted as recording secretary for several years. He was instrumental in sending crews and a singles to participate in a regatta on Lake Meade.

A great lover of amateur athletics, Sal has trophies for handball and swimming the Gate and at one time was an outstanding lightweight wrestler for the Olympic Club.

Say hello to Baby Sal and you will enjoy a chat with a guy that has a ready smile and a keen sense of humor.

BILL WILLIAMS WINS CLUB'S FIRST ALCATRAZ SWIM

Bill Williams, 42, a former Merchant Marine skipper and a new member, won the Club's first organized Alcatraz to San Francisco swim two weeks ago with a time of 47 minutes and 40 seconds.

Results and times for the two and a quarter mile course were: 2nd, Cliff Quist, 50:15; 3rd, Voldi Walter, 50:40; 4th, Herb Jackson, 56:27; 5th, Gordon Cook, 57:10; 6th, Dr. Fred Howard, 57:45; 7th, John Stephenson, 58:00; 8th, Bob Webb, 67:10; 9th, Frank Drum, 67:30; 10th, Joe Mares, 67:45; 11th, Bob Hoff, 71:00.

Gene and Frank Tristano furnished the fishing boat "Rosella D.", named after the mother of the DiMaggio boys, for the jump-off west of the "Rock".

JOIN THE BOOSTERS

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Russ Channing	Handball Player	Joined 1929
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
K. H. "Mac" McIsaac	Oarsman	Joined 1929
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Ed de Cossio	Rower	Joined 1955
Roland Demarais	Past President	Joined 1946
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Steve J. Gaal	Past President	Joined 1953
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Don Kane	Gate Champion	Joined 1953
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Frank Mennucci	Past President	Joined 1940
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Joe Weiss	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1944
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

APPRECIATION

We wish to express our appreciation to the United States Coast Guard for patrolling the course of the Golden Gate Swim; to the Crowley Launch & Tug Co. which furnished a swimmers' boat; to the Mariposa Boat Club which also patrolled the course; and to the South End Rowing Club which furnished pilots and boats. A big "thank you" also to the donors of the beautiful trophies.

FISH
POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
GRAYstone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23

44TH ANNUAL GOLDEN GATE SWIM ROSTER

compiled by Don Kane

1. **FRANK BLAIR** A new member of the Dolphin Club, Frank swam stroke for stroke with Hector Valencia in the recent Raccoon Straits Swim only to be beaten out by nine seconds by Hector. Should place in the top five today.
2. **GARY BOUNDY** Gary will be making his second Golden Gate Swim today. A Junior at S.F. State where he is class president and States top 100 yard freestyle sprinter. Gary placed sixth last year.
3. **JOE BRUNO** Joe will be making his 24th Golden Gate Swim today. His daughter Betty, last year's Miss Golden Gate Swim will be out there to cheer her daddy on.
4. **VINCE CANNIZZARO** A surprise 6th in the Raccoon Straits Swim, Vince has shown a great deal of improvement this year which should win him a spot within the top ten today.
5. **TED CONNELLY** Ted will be making his first Gate crossing today and qualified for today's swim by placing 28th in the Cove Handicap Swim.
6. **GORDON COOK** Gordon too will be making his first Gate crossing today. Gordon placed 14th in the Cove Swim and 15th in the Raccoon Straits Swim.
7. **ED CURTIS** Ed will be making his 6th Dolphin Club Golden Gate Swim today. Ed placed 18th last year and is a gymnastics enthusiast.
8. **ED de COSSIO** Ed is a steady swimmer who can finish as strong as he starts. Recently he completed a solo rowing excursion (105 miles) to the Sacramento State Fair.
9. **RUDY DE MAY** Rudy was the winner of this year's Cove Handicap Swim thereby showing the greatest improvement of any Club swimmer. Rudy also placed 11th in the Raccoon Straits Swim.
10. **FRANK DRUM** Frank is the Dolphin Club's Assistant Swimming Commissioner and is always strong at the finish. Frank qualified for today's competition by placing 24th in the Cove Handicap Swim.
11. **BOB FARRELL** Bob is Stanford bound as a freshman this semester and has a very bright swimming future ahead of him. From his initial showing in the Raccoon Straits Swim, Bob must be installed as the favorite today. He could possibly break the course record of 19 minutes 48 seconds.
12. **JOE FLAHAVEN** A steady swimmer and a definite contender who could win it all today and who is favored in some quarters, will be making his third Gate crossing. Placed third last year.
13. **ROGER GAAL** Now in the Air Force and stationed near Sacramento, Roger has been training in the American River. Will join Dad and brother Steve in today's go.
14. **DR. STEVE GAAL** A resident doctor of the University of California Hospital, Steve, who is called Jr., but who is not really a Jr. will join brother and Dad for their Father-Son workout.
15. **STEVE J. GAAL** Pappa Steve has shown some improvement this year and should finish strong. He enjoys his annual outing each year with his boys.
16. **GENE GAYNOR** A backstroke champion at San Francisco City College, Gene did not compete last year. Count on Gene to finish in the top ten.
17. **DICK HAGGARD** A newcomer to the Dolphin Club and the Golden Gate Swim, Dick qualified by competing in the Raccoon Straits Swim.
18. **DAVE HINTON** A late entree, Dave has just returned to San Francisco from Hong Kong, China, where he did his training at the Hong Kong Yacht Club.
19. **BOB HOFF** Bob placed 24th in the Cove Swim and 20th in the Raccoon Straits Swim, and each time showing improvement. Could surprise a few "experts".
20. **DR. FRED S. HOWARD** Doc seems to mellow with age! He has shown a little progress each year and continues to do so. Look for more progress again today.
21. **HERB JACKSON** Herb placed 10th in the Cove Handicap Swim and also made a good showing in the Raccoon Straits Swim. Will make his first Gate Swim Today.
22. **PETE KRUGER** Pete placed 24th in last years Golden Gate Swim but raised a few eyebrows by finishing 12th in the Raccoon Straits Swim last month. Could be pushing the top ten bracket today.
23. **JOE MARES** Joe has been swimming the Golden Gate since he joined the Club in 1931. A real swim enthusiast, Joe is getting back into the swim after a year layoff.
24. **JACK MASHLAKIAN** Jack has competed in one Gate Swim before today. Jack placed 29th in the Raccoon Straits Swim.
25. **PAUL MELEE** Paul who is now residing in Sacramento will be making his 6th Dolphin Club Golden Gate Swim. An all around athlete, Paul is a steady swimmer.
26. **MIKE MILLIMAN** Now a First Aid and Water Safety Director for the American Red Cross in Fresno. Mike is a former backstroke champion record holder at S.F. State. Will probably finish in the top four.
27. **TED MONELL** Ted has many claims including one that he was born B.C. and has made several Gate Swims since 1921! (That is an understatement) Ted trains in the Cove and at the Olympic Club. Placed 29th last year and you can count on about the same again this year.
28. **BILL O'BRIEN** Bill has shown tremendous improvement in the last few years Bill placed 18th in the Cove Swim which was a big jump from last place two years ago.
29. **CLIFF QUIST** Look out for this boy! Cliff has determination and that's what it takes in this game. Cliff placed 19th last year.
30. **WALT SCHNEEBELI** Walt takes his swimming very seriously! Placed 10th last year and keeps in good shape the year around. Might break the top ten again this year.
31. **PAUL SILVESTER** Remarkable Paul! With 28 Gate crossings to his credit, and making his 29th today. Placed 22nd last year.
32. **JOHN STEPHENSON** John will be making his first Gate crossing bid today. John placed 16th in the Raccoon Straits Swim.
33. **AL SWANSON** Al placed 9th last year and could improve his standing today. Al works part time as a life guard and is a student at S.F. City College.
34. **TOM TRONEUM** On again off again Tom! Some years he's on and some years he's off. After looking in the crystal ball it looks like it says he's on this year. Daughter Karen will reign as Miss Golden Gate Swim of 1960.
35. **HECTOR VALENCIA** A dark horse? Who knows? Hector has been training recently with Bob Farrell and appears to have improved greatly. With Hector's experience in rough water swimming, he could come home with all the bacon.
36. **JAMES VANYA** Big Jim placed 17th in the Cove Handicap Swim. Will probably finish around the same place today as he did last year which was 25th.
37. **VOLDY WALTER** Like Doc Howard, Voldy has improved with age. Will finish within the top twenty. Placed 15th last year.
38. **CLAUDE WALTERS** A new member who has become active in Dolphin Club affairs, Claude qualified by placing 19th in the Raccoon Straits Swim.
39. **BOB WEBB** Another newcomer to the Club, Bob placed 12th in the Cove Handicap Swim. Bob will make a very good showing today.
40. **JOE WEISS** Joe will be competing in his 13th Golden Gate Swim today. Joe placed 31st last year and can be picked out from the pack easily as he uses the breaststroke.
41. **BILL WILLIAMS** Bill was just 2 seconds behind Vince Cannizzaro in the Raccoon Straits Swim to earn the seventh spot in that swim. Bill will be tough to beat today and will from all indications finish within the top ten.

OFFICIALS OF THE DAY

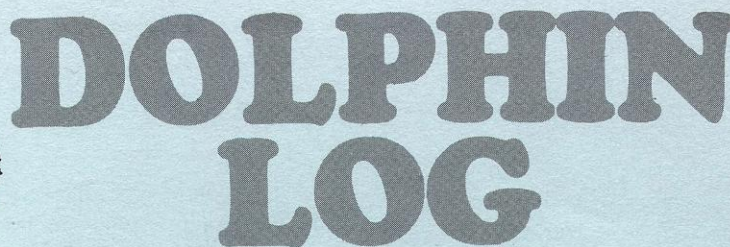
Marshall of the Course	Lawton Hughes
Starter and Swimming Commissioner	Don Kane
Assistant Swimming Commissioner	Frank Drum
Captain.	Charlie Yeager
Chief Pilot	George DeGear
Assistant Pilot.	Les Hendry
Honorary Judge.	Joe Giovannoni
	Tim O'Shea
	Ed Olson
Timers and Judges	Gloria Sterling
	Bud Sterling
	Marion Kane
Physician in Attendance.	Dr. Harold Strauch
	Dominic Anzalone
Supervisors of Swimmers	Ray Morino
	Ed Barrett
	Jack Rousseau
Host on Spectator Boat	Roland Demarais

WINNERS OF FORMER DOLPHIN GOLDEN GATE SWIMS

1917 Dr. Koch	1937 Jack Reynolds
1918 Ben Derham	1938 Jack Reynolds
1919 Kewpie Kiernan	1939 Jack Reynolds
1920 No Swim	1940 Jack Reynolds
1921 Syd Foster	1941 Jack Reynolds
1922 Syd Foster	1942 1945 No Swim
1923 Leo Purcell	1946 Jack Reynolds
1924 Syd Foster	1947 Ray Carmassi
1925 Howard McGovern	1948 Ray Carmassi
1926 George McMillan	1949 Ray Carmassi
1927 Charles Sava	1950 Ray Carmassi
1928 Jack Sieber	1951 Ray Carmassi
1929 Bill Egan	1952 Bill McIvor
1930 Bill Egan	1953 Bill McIvor
1931 Buster Olds	1954 Bill McIvor
1932 Buster Olds	1955 Bill McIvor
1933 Buster Olds	1956 Don Kane
1934 John McManus	1957 Don Kane
1935 Dick Rittger	1958 Don Kane
1936 John McManus	1959 Don Kane

TROPHY DONORS 1960

Admiral Tavern, Pat Schofield
 Andrews Realty Co., Mike Desmond
 Buena Vista Cafe, Jack Koepler
 Cardinal Electric Co., Steve Gaal
 Cincotta Bros.
 College Hill Cleaners
 DiMaggios Restaurant, Tom DiMaggio
 Dolphin Club
 Exposition Fish Grotto #1, Sil Oliva
 Fort Mason Meat Market, Al Gragnani
 Granat Bros.
 Dr. Fred S. Howard (1st man over 45)
 Anita Day Hubbard
 Lawton Hughes
 Lambros Restaurant, Joseph Mares
 LaRocca's Corner
 E. Mennucci & Sons
 Ted Monell
 Harvey Murray
 Ed Olson
 August Perlite
 Virginia Rybicki.
 San Francisco Merionettes, Don Kane
 San Francisco Rowing Club
 Paul Silvester
 South End Rowing Club
 Swan Oyster Depot, Sal Sancimino
 Tevere Hotel, Dick Andreeta
 Tom Troneum
 Union Hardware, William Russi
 A. Valente & Son
 Winchester P. Wing



VOLUME XII, NUMBER 7

NOVEMBER 1960

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

With our Golden Gate Swim behind us, we now look forward to the Old Timers' Night on December 3. We hope that Chef Boyardee (Andy Dunne) will favor us with his choice prime rib roast as he did so ably at the installation banquet. This will give all a chance to see the face-lifting performed at the Dolphin Club. Magic painting improvement has been done by loyal Dolphins Cliff Quist, Frank Drum, Ed Barrett, John Stevenson, Charlie Yeager, and many others.

Your attention is called to the move underway to alter the plans for Aquatic Park, taking away the beach from the public as well as swimming in the cove by erecting a harbor and mooring for small motor boats. This is not the original plan for Proposition "X". You can stop this by raising your objection to a two million dollar bond issue which will benefit only a certain group and will eventually push the boat clubs out.

KIDDIES' XMAS PARTY & BREAKFAST

LAKE MERCED SPORTS CENTER

Sunday, December 18th - Mail Reservations

Members' children Only (Under 11 years old)

BOYS - Ages , , , **GIRLS** - Ages , ,

Breakfast _____ **Adults** _____ **Children** _____

signed

PRIME RIB OF BEEF - CRACKED CRAB

Andy Dunne will feature delicious prime roast of beef and Scotty Tarantino will provide that delectable fresh cracked crab.

Five members will be honored with Life Member certificates: Don Baggiani, Duke Chelini, Dino Landucci, Sr., Duke Dupuis, and Cliff Quist.

Don Baggiani is a Past President with many years of service on the board. Don is still active in handball and has many Gate swims to his credit.

Duke Chelini is a past championship oarsman.

Dino Landucci is a Past President, a past champion stroke on the fours, and is still active in handball.

Duke Dupuis is another Past President who rowed in championship crews.

Cliff Quist, past Board member, has close to two dozen Gate swims to his credit and still continues to swim in competition.

- SPECIAL MEETING -

Wednesday, December 7 - 8:00 P.M.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

ANNUAL MEETING - Wednesday, December 14th

OLD TIMERS' DINNER RESERVATION

Reserve _____ Dinners

signed

Mail to Frank Mennucci, 1701 Greenwich St., S.F.

HIKE AND DIP, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18th BREAKFAST AT LAKE MERCED CENTER

The annual Hike and Dip will be held Sunday, December 18, with only the hearty Dolphins starting at the Clubhouse at 9:00 A.M. sharp. The sissies will meet us at the Ocean Beach at 11:00.

After the dip we will have breakfast at the Lake Merced Sports Center at Noon.

Santa Claus is scheduled to make his arrival at the breakfast. Santa will distribute presents to those up to ten years of age and only to children of Club members. Santa also asks that you fill in the reservation blank on page one for the Christmas Party.

HANDBALL NEWS ROUND-UP

By Ray Belluomini

The handball awards dinner was held at Caesar's Restaurant last month and due to the presence of the wives a wonderful time was enjoyed by everyone, especially the dancing to the music of Al, Leo, and "Big" Vince LaRocca. Many, many thanks fellows for the music, you really helped to make it a success.

Congratulations to the "Old Pro", Lawton Hughes, for his enjoyable and witty comments on his presentation of the trophies.

I wish to express my heartfelt thanks to all of you and to Nick Camarda for those kind words.

There will be a sign up for a "Quickie" singles to start about Dec. 1, so let's look for a large entry list.

We had four games with the Sacramento Elks Nov. 3, on their home court. Joe Bruno and Dino Landucci, Jr., lost 19-21, 8-21. Al de LaTorre and your commissioner lost to Bill Lyons and Bob Jeffreys 3-21, 21-19, 12-21.

We took two out of three matches with the Central Y here. Vince T. LaRocca and Big Vince won their games 21-12, 21-15. Joe Bruno and Dino Landucci, Jr. won 21-11, 21-12. Al de LaTorre and Charlie Sackett lost 14-21, 20-21.

DOLPHINS SPONSOR TEEN-AGE SWIM TEAM

The Board of Directors agreed to sponsor a teen-age swim team which will bear the Club's name and colors. The team composed of athletic members will be coached by Don Kane.

In Memory Of
JOHN MOONEY
Age 76

ELMER C. GUNTHER

RAY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



Frank Mennucci

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

Usually the strength of an organization is gauged by its financial position. The Dolphin Club in having Frank Mennucci as Financial Secretary is very fortunate and the members know quite well that they have no cause for worry

since Frank is a business man and is well qualified in handling the accounts receivable and accounts payable.

Frank is known around the Club as the Great "Men-nootch". He is a guy who meets the new members like a greeter in a large hotel. He has a way of making them feel at home and sees to it that they are properly introduced to the older members. He is called great because he is great. Few members realize how much interest he has in the Club and how much work he really does.

Besides collecting dues, Frank handles all the rentals and does more than his share at the social affairs. Each evening he drives to the Club to see that all the lights are out and the doors locked. He has very high ideals and is forever striving to raise the standard of the Club for its betterment in general.

As an athlete, Frank is an oarsman, handball player, Gate swimmer, and star player on the married mens' baseball team.

Few clubs can boast of a member like the Great Men-nootch.

RAY BELLUOMINI HEADS TICKET

At the last Board of Directors meeting the general membership selected a Nominating Committee - Frank Mennucci, Don Kane, Frank Drum, Bill Williams, and Roland Demarais which chose the following slate for the Regular Ticket of Club officers for 1961:

Ray Belluomini, Sr.	President
Frank Drum	Vice President
Frank Mennucci	Financial Secretary
Al Gragnani	Treasurer
Charlie Yeager	Captain
Claude Walters	Recording Secretary
Tom Troneum	Director
Bill Williams	Director
Gordon Cook	Director

JOE FLAHAVEN WINS FIESTA SWIM

Joe Flahaven won the Fishermens' Wharf first Crab Fiesta Swim this month beating out Hector Valencia who placed second.

All the boys agreed the water was cold on the course from the clubhouses to the Wharf.

THE
Iron Duke

DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO



Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

By Roland Demarais



You probably read recently in one of the local weekly papers of a half-baked plan to put a swimming pool in the middle of the cove with bleachers and then dump sand around it. Our Board of Directors quickly reacted to this proposal and a letter was written to the State Department of Parks and Beaches reaffirming our support of Proposition "X" which has in its outline moving the clubs to a site in the western end of Aquatic Park.

We may well need the keen memories of our Life Members who will recall when the clubs were moved from the foot of Polk Street in the winter of 1938-39 with the promise that they would be moved back again when a suitable site could be found. The Life Members will also remember that it was a few leaders from the clubs who originated and championed the idea that San Francisco have its own Aquatic Park.

Not since 1951 has the Club raised dues or fees. It is not necessary to mention that the cost of materials for Club maintenance and boat repairs have risen in nine years.

The proposed amendment would raise your payment to \$8.00 per quarter - less than nine cents a day.

BILL WILLIAMS got another Gate swim in this season when he made the crossing Oct. 17, in 41 minutes. He was piloted by FRANK DRUM with EMILIO "HORSE" MASSUCCO and BOB HOFF on the oars.

A speedy recovery to JOHN SARGIS who was recently released from Ft. Miley Hospital.

We have another addition to our BOOSTER LIST and we apologize for the ones that were left off the last issue. Welcome, VIRGIL ANDERSON, DON BAGGIANI, ANDY DUNNE, DR. STEVE GAAL, PHIL GAAL, KEN GAAL, WALT SCHNEEBELI, and VOLDI WALTER.

A big thanks to all our Boosters and advertisers for you are the ones that help the Log keep financially above water.

NEW MEMBERS INITIATED, SAT., DEC. 3

All members new to the Club must present themselves, Saturday, 5:00 P.M., at the clubhouse for a unique initiation ritual.

DOLPHINS PARTICIPATE IN AQUACADE

A couple of dozen Dolphins participated in the S.F. Merionette Aquacade last month engaging in canoe tilting and swimming races.

Steve J. Gaal won the Past Presidents' Cup Race.

WORLD FAMOUS

EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM
Also Broiled Steaks and Chops
DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Virgil Anderson	Swimmer	Joined 1930
Don Baggiani	Past President	Joined 1935
Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Russ Channing	Handball Player	Joined 1929
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
Andy Dunne	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
K. H. "Mac" McIsaac	Oarsman	Joined 1929
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Ed de Cossio	Rower	Joined 1955
Roland Demarais	Past President	Joined 1946
Ken Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1956
Phil Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Steve J. Gaal	Past President	Joined 1953
Dr. Steve Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1953
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Don Kane	Gate Champion	Joined 1953
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Frank Mennucci	Past President	Joined 1940
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Walt Schneebeli	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1948
Voldi Walter	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Joe Weiss	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1944
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

JOIN THE BOOSTERS

FISH
POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
 CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
 Graystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB

502 Jefferson Street

Edited by Roland Demarais

Organized 1877

VOLUME XIII, NUMBER 1

JANUARY 1961

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA



Members take annual dip in Pacific, December 18.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings,

At the end of an eventful year such as 1960, the quiet pride we all have in the Dolphin Club becomes most noticeable.

Together we have accomplished many projects, the most important and incidentally a big saving to the Club due to the untiring efforts and inspiring leadership of our 1961 V. P. Frank Drum and quite a few of the members, was the painting of the front of the building.

Congratulations to Tom Troneum, 1960 President, for his inspiring leadership.

Let us all look forward to the Installation Dinner Dance, February 11.

Co-chairmen will be Lawton Hughes and Frank Drum assisted by a large group of committee members. This should prove to be one of the best affairs of the year.

Ray Belluomini
President

WATER POLO TEAM PLANNED

Frank Drum has been the sparkplug in organizing a water polo team.

A glance at the names on the roster would indicate that our boys should give a good account of themselves. Team members include: Don Kane, Hector Valencia, Bob Farrell, Joe Flahaven, Bill Phister, Bob Demo, Al Swanso and Vince Cannizzaro.

INSTALLATION DINNER DANCE, FEB. 11th

February 11 will usher in one of the top events of the Club calendar - the Annual Installation Dinner Dance to be held on a Saturday night at the Club.

Co-chairmen Lawton Hughes and Frank Drum are planning the affair which will include party games as part of the festivities.

Working on the decorating committee for a Valentine theme are Herb Jackson, Bob Hoff and John Stephenson.

Prime rib of beef will be served. Tab: \$4.25 per person. Reservations with cash or check must be made with Frank Mennucci, 1701 Greenwich Street.

CLUB SPONSORS BOYS SWIM TEAM

The wheels were put in motion at the recent annual meeting of the Board of Directors to field a competitive swimming team for boys that will represent the Dolphin Club in A.A.U. competition. Former Golden Gate Swim Champion Don Kane will serve as Coach.

The swimmers that will represent the Dolphin Club in competition will be issued "Athletic Memberships" and the Club has been granted permission by the San Francisco Recreation and Park Department use of the Balboa Park Pool to train the team.

Sons of Dolphin Club members between the ages of six and fifteen are urged to turn out for the team. As Coach Kane explains, "We are starting at the beginning with youngsters to raise future Dolphins in the true spirit of the Club." For further information club members may contact Don Kane at JU 7-4088 after 8:00 p.m. in the evening.



Old Timers pose at annual dinner. Top row, left to right: Andy Dunne, Bud Sterling, Pete Luchessi, Sil Oliva, Dick Harms, Carl Luderman, Dino Landucci, Duke Chelini, Wally Smith. 2nd row: Marcus Hein, Paul Silvester, Hector Stephens, Tom Troneum, Ted Monell, Elmer Gunther, Russ Channing, Tex Alexander, Cliff Quist, Bill Mahood. Seated: John DeMartini, Lawton Hughes, Syd Foster, Dr. A. W. Ward, Jerome White, Frank Bordenave, Joe Giovannoni, Tim O'Shea, Virgil DeMartini, Andy Demo. (Send \$1.75 to Jerry Hawryluk, c/o Club for mailed picture)

OLD TIMERS' DINNER SUCCESS

Over 100 members were present at the Old Timers' Dinner last November with Andy Dunne, Virgil DeMartini, and Frank Mennucci assuming the chief chores in the kitchen.

Tom Troneum put the pollywogs through a brief initiation ritual and then put the novices to work in the galley, waiting table and washing dishes.

The initiated members were: Claude Walters, Lav Wallace, Hans Kramer, John Wishovich, Reginald Southcott, Humbert Arias, Joseph Ambrose, Hank Willinger, Matthew Mooney, James Martinez, Sr., Robert Hoff, Bill William, John Stephenson, Gordon Cook, Paul Adrian, Ed Luyken, Bill Ellis, Herb Jackson, Ed Lindquist, Bill Ferguson, Chris Makaila, Robert Ferrari, Dan Murphy and Robert Webb.

In Memory of

STAN RYBICKI

on the anniversary of his death

February 4, 1960

ELMER C. GUNTHER

BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

HANDBALL ROUND-UP by Ray Belluomini

In the Bay Counties Handball League with games played so far against the Sacramento Elks #2, S.F. Central YMCA, Olympic Club Travelers, Golden Gate Park, YMI, Olympic Club, South End, we have a record of 9 wins and 12 losses. Games remain with the Jewish C.C., S.F. Fire Dept., Oakland YMCA, and Sacramento Elks #1.

The regular singles tournament will open with the novice class March 5 and 1st, 2nd, and 3rd classes will start March 19.

There will be a sign-up list on the bulletin board February 1.

HECKMAN-SPENCER "DOLPHINS OF YEAR"

The 68th Annual Hike and Dip got off to a fine start last month with over 30 members starting the seven mile trek from the clubhouse.

After the dip Dolphins and their guests enjoyed breakfast at the Lake Merced Sports Center. Santa Claus (Frank Mennucci) put in an appearance and distributed gifts to 35 youngsters.

Ed Spencer and Myron Heckman received the Anita Day Hubbard "Dolphin of the Year" award. Both members were selected by the Board for their exceptional service and spirit shown during the past year.

THE
Iron Duke

DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO



Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

By Roland Demarais



Our Financial Secretary recently received the following letter:

Dear Mr. Mennucci:

Enclosed please find check for \$100.00. This check can be used for boat repairs or for other purposes, at the discretion of the Directors.

Yours very truly,

A. W. Ward, D.D.S.

MIKE DESMOND, who will be a Life Member this year, joined the Booster List. Mike has several Gate swims to his credit.

HOWARD HALL and AL SWANSON, both very active new members, have added their names to the list.

Note that "All-American" HECTOR STEPHENS has furniture to sell at Modern House.

BILL PHISTER has been accepted into the Oakland Police Dept. Bill placed 38th in a competitive examination of over 1300 applicants.

Overheard: one of the old timers telling PAUL ADRIAN how to clean dishes at the last dinner. Paul is maitre d' at the Clift.

Congratulations to JACKIE LA ROCCA and his wife BARBARA on the birth of their son, Leo, November 21.

PAST PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As the Dolphin year of 1960 closed, one begins to sum up the things that have been done, only to realize that many more things have been left undone, but that time all too soon ran out. I am deeply grateful to the loyal Dolphins who have worked hard to accomplish many of the projects that the Board members and the Captain have decided most necessary. These members are proud of their work and equally proud of being Dolphins. With such a group of eager beavers in the field, the Club can look to prosperous years in the future. I am confident that the incoming officers will keep the ball rolling and prove to the people of our fine city that the Dolphin Club is not only a boat club, but that by virtue of its spirit, is part of the old traditions of San Francisco.

I am deeply grateful for the privilege of having served you, and beg you to support your new officers as you have me.

- Tom Troneum

- FRIENDS -

Virginia Rybicki



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Virgil Anderson	Swimmer	Joined 1930
Don Baggiani	Past President	Joined 1935
Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Russ Channing	Handball Player	Joined 1929
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Mike Desmond	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1936
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
Andy Dunne	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Henry Kanter	Past President	Joined 1910
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
K. H. "Mac" McIsaac	Oarsman	Joined 1929
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Ed de Cossio	Rower	Joined 1955
Roland Demarais	Past President	Joined 1946
Ken Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1956
Phil Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Steve J. Gaal	Past President	Joined 1953
Dr. Steve Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1953
Howard Hall	Handball Player	Joined 1959
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Don Kane	Gate Champion	Joined 1953
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Frank Mennucci	Past President	Joined 1940
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Stan Rybicki	Past President	Joined 1934
Walt Schneebeli	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1948
Albert Swanson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1959
Voldi Walter	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Joe Weiss	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1944
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

WORLD FAMOUS EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM

Also Broiled Steaks and Chops

DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565



FISH

POULTRY



G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
GRaystone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XIII, NUMBER 2

APRIL 1961

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Installation Dinner Dance held on Feb. 11 with Valentine decorations all around the boathouse proved to be an outstanding success. Co-chairmen Lawton Hughes and Frank Drum with the able assistance of all the committee members, of which there were many, proved one thing - that cooperation helps to make any affair a great success.

Congratulations to Andy Dunne our wonderful and gracious chef for the great job he did on the roast beef.

To those who missed the Installation Dinner Dance, here is a tip - get your reservations in early for the Ladies' Night Buffet Dinner Dance to be held May 20 at the boathouse.

Ray Belluomini,
President

SINGLES TOURNAMENT UNDERWAY by Ray Belluomini

The Singles Tournament is on its way with the novice class playing their first and second game on the 11th and 18th of March. These novice players have shown great spirit and determination in the court resulting in some fine games being played.

Scores: Walt Schneebeli over Bob Hoff, 21-17, 14-21, 21-11. Claude Walters lost to Tom Verdier 21-9, 17-21, 21-10. John Stephenson victor over Don Clark, 21-11, 21-14. John Stephenson over Bob Mahoney, 21-10, 21-13. Jim Martinez lost to Hector Valencia, 21-10, 21-11.

Our assistant handball commissioner, Howard Hall, tells me that these novice players play such a clean game that he hasn't had to call a single hinder.

One game got started in 3rd class and Dolphins, I ask you, what is his prescription? That "Old Pro", Lawton Hughes, defeats youthful Bill Phister, 21-15, 17-21, 21-13.

Congratulations to George Dickieson and Al De La Torre for winning the 1st and 2nd class "Quickie Singles".

LADIES' NIGHT
BUFFET DINNER DANCE
Saturday, May 20th

SINGLE MEN vs. MARRIED MEN BALLGAME SUNDAY, APRIL 9, FUNSTON PARK LUNCH AT CLUB



Frank Mennucci will captain the married mens' ball team and has issued the challenge to the single men to start limbering their muscles or be prepared for a drubbing.

The challenge has been received by single mens' captain Al Gragnani who answered scornfully, "Tell 'em we'll be waiting for 'em at Funston".

The annual rhubarb classic will take place Sunday, April 9, at Funston Playground.

After the affair a pro-rata steak lunch will be served at the Clubhouse. Reservations are necessary.

WATER POLO TEAM IN TRAINING

"All we need is a coach," says Frank Drum, spark plug for the newly organized Dolphin water polo team. Eighteen of the youngest and fastest members of the Club have enthusiastically joined the team's roster leaving little doubt as to the success of the enterprise.

Arrangements have been made through the Park and Recreation Department for the use of Garfield Pool at 26th and Harrison Streets. Helmets and other equipment needed for the game have been purchased and portable goals are being made.

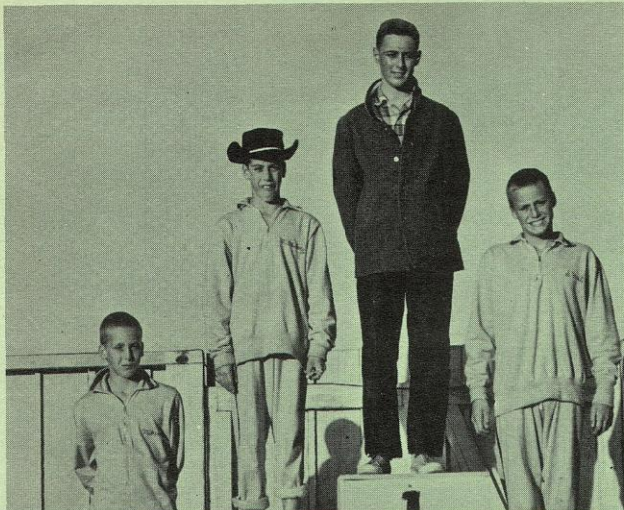
Although the water polo season does not start until September the swimmers have decided to start training immediately.

Several names for coaching have been mentioned. Among them Jerry Hawryluk's name has figured most prominently.

CONGRATULATIONS, S.F. MERIONETTES!

The S.F. Merionettes did it. They won the Senior AAU Synchronized Swim Championship at Balboa Pool last week. Marion and Don Kane are to be congratulated for a beautifully trained team and for doing a superior job in hosting the events.

The team will fly to Japan in August under the sponsorship of the U.S. State Department.



YOUNG DOLPHIN SWIM CHAMP

Gary Cheroske, center, member of the newly organized Dolphin Boys' swim team, won 11-12 year old backstroke at Palo Alto recently.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS RELEASED

The board of directors has released the following schedule of events:

April 9, Sun.	Softball Game, Married Men vs. Single Men. Lunch at Club.
May 13, Sat.	Row to Candlestick Park in the six-oared "John Wieland".
May 20, Sat.	Ladies' Night Dinner Dance at Club.
July 1, Sat.	Hanna Center Boys' Day at Club.
July 9, Sun.	Picnic at Blackberry Farm, Cupertino.
July 22 Sat.	Aquatic Park Handicap Swim, Lunch at Club.
July 29, Sat.	Yacht Harbor Swim, 10:30 a.m.
August 5, Sat.	Alcatraz Swim, 9:30 a.m.
August 12, Sat.	Healdsburg Water Carnival.
August 20, Sun.	Treasure Island Swim, 9:30 a.m.
August 27, Sun.	Fort Point to Aquatic Park Swim.
September 2, 3, 4	Row to Sacramento State Fair.
September 16, Sat.	Raccoon Straits Swim, Lunch at Corinthian Yacht Club.
October 8, Sun.	Golden Gate Swim.

- JOIN THE BOOSTER LIST - \$5.00 -



AROUND THE COVE with Don Kane

The Dolphin Swimming and Boating Club's swim team has competed in three Pacific Association A.A.U. swimming meets since its formation in January of this year.

To date Gary Cheroske has been the most outstanding representative of the Club placing third in the 11-12-year-old 50 yd. backstroke at the Alameda Naval Air Station meet in February.

Since that meet Gary won the 11-12-year-old 50 yd. backstroke event at the Palo Alto Elks Club meet. In the Stanford Novice meet, Gary placed first in the 50 yd. breaststroke in a record breaking time of 38.4. Pete Levesque, competing in the same event, placed third with a time of 39.0 which also bettered the meet record.

Also in the Stanford meet, Gary was second in the 50 yd. freestyle, fourth in the 200 yd. individual medley and sixth in the 50 yd. butterfly.

Other outstanding members of the swim team who have shown tremendous improvement are 13-year-old Skip Jones, 11-year-olds Roger Kalnin and Steve Gore, 10-year-old Bobby Firman, 9-year-old Larry Hontalas, 8-year-old Scott McBride and 6-year-old Mike Gore.

Other members of the team are John Mical and Billie Diamond. 13-year-old Greg Mahoney is the team's diver and has shown very rapid improvement since joining the team.

Newcomers on probation include Mike Stephens, 10-years; Robbie Trowbridge, 9-years; Guy Quist, 9-years and who is the nephew of strong Gate Swimmer, Cliff Quist.

Senior swimmer Bob Farrell, who starred for the Stanford University frosh this year, is training hard now and anticipating the Senior Men's Outdoor A.A.U. National Championships that are to be held in Los Angeles August 17-19. Assistant coach Hector Valencia has been doing a tremendous job working with the newcomers on the team.

"WIELAND" ROW TO CANDLESTICK SLATED MAY 13th

What is working into another long list of Dolphin traditions seems to be the row to Candlestick Park which was inaugurated last year.

Lawton Hughes is lining up his crew for the trip to view the Giants slated for Saturday, May 13th.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

by Roland Demarais



"Bon Voyage" to that wonderful couple who enjoy a perpetual honeymoon - "SUGAR-FOOT" and BUD STERLING sailed April 5, their anniversary, aboard the Mariposa for Los Angeles, Tahiti, New Zealand, Australia, Fiji, Samoa, and Honolulu.

Boat Captain BOB HOFF is to be complimented on the efficient manner in which he has cleaned the workshop and tool room. His particular concern is the boats which are beginning to show the result of adequate and meticulous care and attention.

My spies tell me that some sort of raffle-benefit for aquatic sports and the rowing program will come off shortly.


JAKE TOSCHI and BOB NIELSEN have joined the Booster List. Jake, who is a Life Member, was a top-notch handball player in his prime. Bob, who has several Pacific Coast regattas under his belt, is the Club's singles champion.

LOUELLA SOMMERS of the San Francisco Merionettes placed a very close third in the recent senior solo synchronized swimming championships held at Balboa Pool last week. Louella scored 42.32, Papsie Georgian of Athens won with 43.71, and Barbara Burke of the University Club of Hollywood came in second with 42.69 points. More on the championships by Don Kane in the next issue.

- REMEMBER -

Make your reservations for -
LADIES' NIGHT BUFFET DINNER DANCE

FISH		POULTRY
G. GRAGNANI & SON FORT MASON MEAT MARKET CHOICE STALL FED MEATS		
Phone Graystone 4-9029	1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH SAN FRANCISCO 23	

WORLD FAMOUS		
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO		
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.		
DINING ROOM	Also Broiled Steaks and Chops	DINING ROOM
COCKTAILS		
NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • Ordway 3-9565		
		



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Virgil Anderson	Swimmer	Joined 1930
Don Baggiani	Past President	Joined 1935
Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Russ Channing	Handball Player	Joined 1929
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Mike Desmond	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1936
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
Andy Dunne	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
K. H. "Mac" McIsaac	Oarsman	Joined 1929
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Jake Toschi	Handball Player	Joined 1928
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Ed de Cossio	Rower	Joined 1955
Roland Demarais	Past President	Joined 1946
Ken Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1956
Phil Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Steve J. Gaal	Past President	Joined 1953
Dr. Steve Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1953
Howard Hall	Handball Player	Joined 1959
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Don Kane	Gate Champion	Joined 1953
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Frank Mennucci	Past President	Joined 1940
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Robert G. Nielson	Oarsman	Joined 1947
Walt Schneebeli	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1948
Albert Swanson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1959
Voldi Walter	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Joe Weiss	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1944
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

- FRIENDS -

Virginia Rybicki

BE A DOLPHIN BOOSTER!



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XIII, NUMBER 3

June 1961

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

FAMILY PICNIC AT BLACKBERRY FARM, SATURDAY, JULY 9

ROWING NEWS

by Coach Tom Troneum

Not since 1955, when Bob Neilsen rowed in the Western Sprint Regatta and 1957 when the Dolphin crew raced a California four, have any of our oarsmen gone out in open competition. However, on May 20th, Myron Heckman flew to Seattle and entered the Western Sprint Regatta.

He competed with oarsman of Olympic stature, notably Ted Nash, who is rated one of the two fastest scullers in the United States, and seven or eight men of rowing fame. Myron, rowing his first race, made a fine showing, as it first appeared that he had taken second place, but the judges later ruled him fifth. In this event, I would say the race was a close one, and the Dolphin Club should be proud of such a fine oarsman.

Mr. Stan Pocock was most helpful and loaned Myron his private shell, and all the Lake Washington oarsmen went all out to make Myron's stay a pleasant one.

Our next regatta will be with the Golden Gate Rowing Club. This is a new club in the East Bay consisting of former university oarsmen. They also rowed in Seattle and took fourth. This will be a real test for the Lake Merced oarsmen, both Dolphin and South End, who are training at the Lake now. This event will probably take place late in June or early July.

Another Dolphin Oarsman has rowed his last race, out through the Golden Gate, beyond the setting sun of the Western skies. Harvey Murray, No. 3 man in the "Old Champs" Crew, former champion oarsman of the Myrtle Rowing Club and Outrigger Club, Honolulu, passed on May 15, 1961. We, the "Old Champs", as well as all Dolphins who knew Harvey will miss him, but we will never forget him.

PLAN TO ATTEND

PICNIC, SUNDAY, JULY 9

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

PICNIC AT BLACKBERRY FARM

As we move into the last six months let us look forward to July 9, the date of the Dolphin Picnic at Blackberry Farm in Cupertino.

The Board of Directors is hoping to see many of our "fading" Dolphins attend this picnic and acquaint themselves with the aggressive and enthusiastic group who have joined the Club in the last few years.

Bus transportation will be available. Sign up or call the Club. \$2.00 per person.

Group rate tickets for the picnic can be had by calling Frank Drum, 3922 Harrison Street, OL 5-3531; Howard Hall, 438 Arballo Drive, DE 3-3931; Frank Mennucci, 1701 Greenwich, OR 3-6056; Ray Belluomini, 690 Haight Street, MA 1-4581. Adults \$0.75, children under 12, \$0.45.

(Continued on page 2)

SAM CITRON TO COACH WATER POLO TEAM

Dolphin member Sam Citron, former captain of the San Francisco State water polo team and presently star player of the Olympic Club team, has accepted the job of coaching the Dolphin Club.

Plans are now underway to establish a water polo league in which the Dolphins will be ready to compete.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors has approved a budget request of the Aquatics Department of the Park and Recreation Department for sufficient funds to erect permanent water polo goals at Rossi Pool.

Sam Citron is 25 years of age and is a teacher at Luther Burbank Junior High School. Under the Olympic Club colors he participated in the 1959 Pan-American Games Trials and swam in the Indoor Senior Men's Nationals held at the Olympic Club last May.

The bus will leave the Club at 10:00 a.m. and will leave Blackberry Farm at 7:00 p.m.

Picnic schedule for the day will be softball, tug-o-war, sack race, egg and spoon race, and night gown relay swim.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

(Continued from page 1)

BIG BROTHER DAY

A new event on our calendar, and a great cause it is, was our Big Brother Day held June 3, which attracted 34 boys and 17 of their sponsors.

The boys enjoyed all the facilities of the Club and after a hearty chicken lunch they all watched and enjoyed a handball game between Howard Hall and Dino Landucci, Jr.

Howard and Dino told me after the game that the cheering was the loudest they ever heard in a handball gallery.

The soft drinks, milk, and ice cream were donated by the Shasta Co., 7-Up Co., and the Marin-Dell Dairy.

My sincere thanks to these companies for their merchandise.

LADIES' NIGHT DINNER DANCE

The Ladies' Night Dinner Dance held May 20 with the able chairmanship of our V.P. Frank Drum was one of the liveliest affairs to be held in years.

Congratulations to Bobbie Robinson, Eve Hall, Marie Bell, Shirley Stephenson, Claude Walters, Bob Hoff, Bill Williams, John Stephenson, George DeGearm, Ed Barrett, and many others for their beautiful job in decorating the boathouse.

Many thanks to the Cannizzaro brothers, Howard Hall, and Frank Mennucci.

To all Dolphins and their ladies who attended or had a part in the affair let me again express my sincere thanks.

P.S. Chris Makaila entertained the large gathering with his singing and ukulele playing during the intermissions. The headline attraction of the evening were the interpretive hula dances by "Sugarfoot" Sterling.

SOFTBALL GAME

A real honest softball game was played between the married men and the single men, needless to say the single men won again 21-10.

The married men had their crying towels out because they missed the services of their umpire and scorekeeper Bud and "Sugarfoot" Sterling.

After the game a steak lunch was enjoyed by 40 persons. Many thanks to Tom Troneum for a great job as barbecue chef.

HANNA CENTER BOYS DAY

One of our traditional days to which we look forward is the Hanna Center Boys Day to be held at the Club, Saturday, July 1.

This proud day gives a source of satisfaction and happiness to all Dolphins who help to make this day the success it will be because of the unselfish devotion of the members.

Ray Belluomini, *President*

ELMER C. GUNTHER

BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA

BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931

114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

WE THE DOLPHINS

by Bud Sterling

We all know that the Dolphin Club has had many great boosters during the last 75 years, but it is doubtful if there has been a greater booster than our editor of the Dolphin Log, Roland Demarais.

From the day he was introduced to the members by his uncle and renowned chef, Andy Dunne, it was obvious that he would be a member with spirit and ability. Naturally it was not long before he was appointed recording secretary, then director, and elected president in 1952 and again in 1955.

So when we speak of boosters we must not forget that it was by Roland's suggestion the Club formed the Booster List for both life and regular members.

Of course the greatest boost Roland gave the Club is when he started the Log in May of 1949. Never in the history of the Club had the members enjoyed a "newspaper". The Dolphin Log is sent to City officials and other athletic organizations. Perhaps it is most enjoyed by the life members. Those members like Dr. A. W. Ward and attorney Jerome White, who only come to the Club on Old Timers' Night yet are very interested in the doings of the Club and are great boosters. One look at the Life Member Booster List will show that these gentlemen joined the Club in 1904 and 1909 respectively.

Too much cannot be said about this fellow Roland. He is a Gate swimmer, oarsman, handball player and perhaps the best polka dancer in the Club.

So let's take our hats off to our editor Roland Demarais, a guy who wouldn't ask anyone to do anything he wouldn't do himself, and a guy who is a tribute to the Club.

(Editor's note: I have kept Bud's article since December, hoping he would forget about it. But he refused to send any more material in until I printed it.)

IN MEMORY

of

HARVEY MURRAY

Died May 15, 1961

THE
Iron Duke



132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

DOuglas 2-4484

NEWS & NOTES

by Claude Walters

IMPROVEMENTS

Congratulations to the members responsible for the improved look in the mens' washroom. It has been cleaned and tiled with new fixtures added. New linoleum will soon be laid.

The next major projects worthy of note will be the complete remodeling of the ladies room and the installation of fluorescent lights in the Staib Room.

SUMMER SWIMMING

Evidently Swimming Commissioner Frank Drum's campaign for a larger turnout for the summer swims has begun to reap dividends. Seen at hard practice are such former "no-goes" as Frank Mennucci, Melvin Henry, Sal Cannizzaro, and Bill Phister.

The many new members number some pretty good swimmers such as Bob Ferrari (now in the Coast Guard), Sam Citron, Tom Verdier, Herman Rossbach, and "Thin-blood" Bill Martinelli.

With the warming of the water, more and more regulars are venturing in. Looks like a good year.

ROWING IS ACTIVE

Rowing, long dormant, has received a big shot in the arm in recent months largely as a result of the many trips across the bay in the six-oared barge, *John Wieland*. Hardy crews have boated to Sausalito, Tiburon, Islais Creek, Angel Island, and other points.

Among those at the oars are Dave Hinton, Ed Curtis, Frank Mennucci, Howard Hall, Vince Cannizzaro, Bob Hoff, Pete Evans, John Wishovich, Ed deCossio, Les Hendry, Joe Weiss, Charlie Yeager, Gordon Cook, and Al Swanson, all under the watchful eye of Coach Lawton Hughes.

All this activity has caused renewed fervor in the boat house. The Club has purchased one new canoe and has begun to repair the boats too long neglected. The singles are nearly all repaired with the *Foster* and the *Baggiani* fully ready. The *Landucci* needs only to be stained and varnished to become operative.

The next order of business is the three doubles on which work has already begun, again supervised by Lawton Hughes. The only need now is more workers. Those interested in rowing (and working) apply to Coach Hughes.

PLAN TO ATTEND

THE PICNIC, SUNDAY, JULY 9

HANDBALL ROUND-UP

by Ray Belluomini

BIG VINCE LaROCCA HANDBALL CHAMP

"Big" Vince LaRocca in retaining his handball title had a tougher time this year than last year. George Dickieson, the quietest player in a handball court, extended him to three games, 21-19, 18-21, 21-17.

That little giant, Don Baggiani, passing the half way mark in years, made Vince go three games, 21-5, 12-21, 21-10.

Dino Landucci, Jr., took second place.

Third class was won by another LaRocca by the name of "Gans" over a keen student of handball, Jim Vanya who took second place.

Novice class was won by that dedicated player, Walt Schneebeli. Second place was won by that barefoot boy, Al Swanson.

Congratulations to all the players for an interesting tournament. Most improved player, Jim Vanya.

SINGLES TOURNAMENT

The Singles Tournament is on its way with the novice class playing their 1st and 2nd round games on the 11th and 18th of March. These novice players have shown great spirit and determination in the court resulting in some great games being played.

Scores of some of the games: Walt Schneebeli over Bob Hoff, 21-17, 14-21, 21-11. Claude Walters lost to Tom Verdier, 21-9, 17-21, 21-10. John Stephenson over Don Clark, 21-11, 21-14. John Stephenson over Bob Mahoney, 21-10, 21-13. Jim Martinez lost to Hector Valencia, 21-10, 21-11.

Our assistant handball commissioner, Howard Hall, tells me that these novice players play such a clean game that he hasn't had to call a single hinder.

One game got started in third class, and Dolphins I ask you. What is his prescription? That "Old Pro", Lawton Hughes, defeats youthful Bill Phister, 21-15, 17-21, 21-13.

Congratulations to Al De LaTorre and George Dickieson for winning the first and second class "Quickie Singles".

LEND A HAND

ON HANNA CENTER BOYS DAY

SATURDAY JULY 1

- JOIN THE BOOSTER LIST -

SCHEDULE OF AQUATIC EVENTS FOR 1961

EVENT:	DATE:	TIME:
Aquatic Park Cove Swim.	July 22, 1961	11:00 A.M.
Yacht Harbor-Aquatic Park Swim.. . . .	July 29, 1961	10:30 A.M.
Alcatraz Island Swim	August 5, 1961.	9:30 A.M.
Healdsburg Water Carnival (One Mile Swim)	August 12, 1961	----
Treasure Island Swim.	August 20, 1961.	9:30 A.M.
Fort Point — Aquatic Park Swim.	August 27, 1961.	10:30 A.M.
Row to Sacramento State Fair	September 2, 3 & 4, 1961.	----
Raccoon Straits Swim	September 16, 1961.	11:00 A.M.
GOLDEN GATE SWIM	October 8, 1961	11:00 A.M.

NOTE: Unless previously qualified, it will be necessary for each GOLDEN GATE SWIM entrant to have completed the Raccoon Straits Swim and one other of the above events. There will be no other exceptions.

Frank Drum
Swimming Commissioner



WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM

by Roland Demarais

A hearty "Get well" to our President, RAY BEL-LUOMINI, who underwent surgery on his knee. . . .also to JOE GIOVANNONI who is convalescing at the Sutter Towers Hospital.

DINO LANDUCCI, SR., is another addition to the LIFE MEMBER BOOSTER LIST. Dino joined the Club in 1935, served on the Board of Directors, and was president. Dino rowed stroke in the champion fours shell in the late thirties.

A hearty welcome to the nine new members who joined the Club in April and May: NEAL SUADUTH, JAMES REED, FINN HAASKJOLD, PATRICK KELLY, DELBERT WEAST, ANGELO RACCANELLO, EDWARD SIMONS, HERMAN ROSSBACH, and ANTHONY PANACCI.

IMPORTANT!

LOCKER CHECK IN PROGRESS

An attempt is now being made to bring the locker list up to date, so we must ask cooperation of all Dolphins.

On the bulletin board in the locker room is a list of all locker numbers. It is imperative that all Dolphins maintaining a locker sign their name after the appropriate locker number.

If you cannot sign, please notify the Club of your locker number to be included on the list.

This list will be removed from the board by July 20 and **ALL** unclaimed lockers will be opened, cleaned, and re-assigned to new members.

Boat Captain

FISH
POULTRY



G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS

Phone
Graystone 4-9029

1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23

WORLD FAMOUS


EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO

SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM
Also Broiled Steaks and Chops
DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565





LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Virgil Anderson	Swimmer	Joined 1930
Don Baggiani	Past President	Joined 1935
Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Russ Channing	Handball Player	Joined 1929
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Mike Desmond	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1936
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
Andy Dunne	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Dino Landucci, Sr.	Oarsman	Joined 1935
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
K. H. "Mac" McIsaac	Oarsman	Joined 1929
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Jake Toschi	Handball Player	Joined 1928
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Ed de Cossio	Rower	Joined 1955
Roland Demarais	Past President	Joined 1946
Ken Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1956
Phil Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Steve J. Gaal	Past President	Joined 1953
Dr. Steve Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1953
Howard Hall	Handball Player	Joined 1959
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Don Kane	Gate Champion	Joined 1953
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Frank Mennucci	Past President	Joined 1940
Harvey D. Murray	Oarsman	Joined 1951
Robert G. Nielson	Oarsman	Joined 1947
Walt Schneebeli	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1948
Albert Swanson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1959
Voldi Walter	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Joe Weiss	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1944
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

- FRIENDS -

Virginia Rybicki

BE A DOLPHIN BOOSTER!



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XIII, NUMBER 4

AUGUST 1961

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

SWIMMING SEASON IN FULL SWING by Frank Drum

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

BARN DANCE

In order to defray the expenses for boat repairs, which has amounted to \$800 to date, we will hold a barn dance, the "Harvest Moon Dance," Saturday, Oct. 21, at the Club.

Barn dances have been very successful in the past to raise funds and the members who have attended have had a great time.

Ray Belluomini
President

BLACKBERRY FARM PICNIC

Blackberry Farm was a perfect setting with wonderful weather for our annual picnic on Sunday, July 9.

In attendance were 140 Dolphins and their guests.

The members who went by bus had a grand time being entertained by two unknowns in the comedy field, namely, Lennie Gelardi and Frank "The Great 'Menooch'."

As we go into the last six months of 1961 we still have a few boats to be repaired. Lawton Hughes has done a terrific job in supervising the work parties that are held on Thursday evenings, Saturdays and Sundays.

The swimmers know that we must have every boat in good condition so that the pilots can give them the best possible protection. The question always being asked is, "Why is all the work being done by the same Dolphins?" Fellow Dolphins, please examine your conscience and ask yourself the same question.

The work parties do all the minor work in preparing the boats, which helps considerably cut down expenses, before sending them out to be completed by the boat builder.

To paraphrase President Kennedy's memorable statement: Ask yourself not what can the Dolphin Club do to help me. But, rather, what can I do to help the Dolphin Club.

The following members have loyally supported the work parties: Tom Troneum, Carl Luders, Bob Farrell, Bill Sakovich, Al Swanson, Hector Valencia, Jim Vanya, Bill Love, Howard Hall, Gordon Cook, Tom Verdier, Pete Evans, Dan Osborne, Bob Hoff, Claude Walters, and Ray Belluomini.

BOB FARRELL WINS YACHT HARBOR SWIM

Bob Farrell, a Stanford sophomore, showed he has the speed by winning the one and three-quarter mile Yacht Harbor-Aquatic Park Swim in 29 minutes. Close on his heels were Hector Valencia, 30:35, and Bill Sacovich, 30:37.

Many of the swimmers had trouble negotiating the finish and were carried near the pilings by the flood tide.

The 22 swimmers and their guests enjoyed a chicken lunch after the swim.

BOB HOFF WINS HANDICAP

One of the largest and perhaps most enthusiastic group of Dolphins in recent years, 46 in all, competed in the Aquatic Park Handicap Swim. This I believe indicates this year's aquatic program will be one of the most successful ever conducted. The desire, drive and push is certainly evident, not only among the younger and newer members, but with a very good number of the older Dolphins.

Incidentally, Bob Hoff, 1st place Handicap winner and Gordon Cook, 3rd place winner, proudly adorn their upper lip with well trimmed black mustaches. Could this be the start of a new trend?

WATER POLO

Mrs. Helen Center, Director of Aquatics, S.F. Recreation Department, has informed the Club that the water polo goals will be installed at Rossi Pool. The Dolphin water polo team should be able to start practice within the next two weeks.

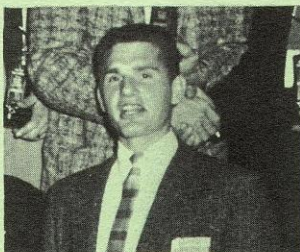
SEA SCOUTS AND RED CROSS ASSIST

Beginning with the Yacht Harbor Swim and for all future swims the Sea Scout unit of the Boy Scouts of America will assist in transporting the swimmers and towing the pilot boats to the jump-off areas. A Water Rescue team from the American Red Cross, headed by Mr. Jim Williams, Director, will be aboard the Sea Scout boat for all swims. The U.S. Coast Guard will of course cooperate as they have done in the past.

As of now approximately 30 swimmers will attempt the Alcatraz Swim on Saturday, August 5.

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling



Dino Landucci, Jr.

We have had many good athletes in the Dolphin Club and many good all around athletes. Fellows like Joe Bruno, Lawton Hughes, Bob Oakley, and Duke Dupuis. But we believe if the Club ever held a "decathlon" the fellow most likely to win the event would be young Dino Landucci.

This blond giant was a star football player in high school and is one of the top handball players of the Club. Besides being a Gate swimmer, Dino rowed the stroke oar in the Senior Pacific Coast Championship four-oared crew. This crew consisting of "Jungle Jim" Morino, Jim Shannon, and "Shoes" Schunneman won races and made better times than some of the Olympic trials.

Perhaps to Dino his ability came easy, or should we say he is a chip off the old block, for Dino, Sr., is also a champion oarsman and handball player. Or should we say he is inspired by his lovely wife, Janie, with a personality that would enhance any gathering whether it be athletic or social.

Yes sir, the Club is happy to have Dino, Jr., as a member and not only as a good athlete, but as a good sport.

HANDBALL AWARDS DINNER TUES. SEPT. 19

Jake Toschi's Restaurant, Union and Powell, will again be the spot for the annual Handball Awards Dinner to be held Tuesday, September 19.

This year, President Ray Belluomini has invited the ladies to attend.

Trophies will be awarded to "Big" Vince LaRocca, winner of the first class singles; Dino Landucci, Jr., runner-up; Leo LaRocca, third class winner; Jim Vanya, runner-up; Walt Schneebeli, novice winner; Al Swanson, runner-up. Al DeLaTorre and George Dickieson will be presented trophies for winning the first and second class, respectively, "Quickie" Singles.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA
BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

SWIMMING(continued from page 1)

DOLPHINS TO BE REPRESENTED IN HEALDSBURG SWIM

Five of the Club's fastest swimmers will compete under the Dolphin colors at the Healdsburg Water Carnival one mile swim, Saturday, August 12. Representing the Club will be Bob Farrell, Bill Sacovich, Hector Valencia, Al Swanson, and possibly Dan Osborne.

DAY AT CLUB SUBSTITUTED FOR T.I. SWIM

Because we can't get sufficient boats in the water to protect and pilot the large number of swimmers interested, the proposed Treasure Island Swim scheduled for Sunday, August 20 has been cancelled. Instead a day at the Club has been proposed. This is to include a back yard picnic and barbecue for all Dolphins, their families, and guests. A program of sprints, relay races, canoe tilting, rowing, ping pong, volleyball, tug-of-war, and dancing has been planned. The relay teams will be headed by the five fastest swimmers in the recent Handicap Swim. Each relay team captain will select five other swimmers for his team. The course will be from the Dolphin Beach out to and around the middle piling in the lagoon and back.

APOLOGIES

Overlooked in the last issue the names of the two ladies, Charlotte Lansing and Trudy Stanley, who directed the boathouse at the last affair.

DOLPHIN HANDICAP SWIM RESULTS

1) Bob Hoff, 26.40; 2) Mel Henry, 27.45; 3) Gordon Cook, 25.44; 4) Merle Honacker, 29.02; 5) James Vanya, 24.24; 6) Ted Monell, 25.15; 7) Verne Loudon, 26.33; 8) Frank Drum, 28.00; 9) Bob Webb, 25.05; 10) Dr. Fred Howard, 26.33; 11) Ken Gaal, 26.40; 12) Herb Jackson, 27.18; 13) Roy Hooper, 33.00; 14) Ed DeCassio, 27.43; 15) Rudy Demay, 24.09; 16) Joe Weiss, 28.06; 17) Herman Rossback, 23.05; 18) Ed Luyken, 28.52.

19) Bob Farrell, 16.45; 20) Tom Verdier, 21.41; 21) Vince Cannizzaro, 22.23; 22) Bill O'Brien, 33.58; 23) John Stephenson, 27.41; 24) Sam Citron, 17.33; 25) Joe Flahaven, 17.43; 26) Bill Sacovich, 17.49; 27) Hector Valencia, 17.30; 28) Howard Hall, 35.12; 29) Bob Demo, 22.58; 30) Tom Troneum, 26.14; 31) Walt Schneebli, 24.09; 32) Dan O'Sborne, 19.06; 33) Al Swanson, 23.30; 34) Joe Bruno, 26.22.

35) Cliff Quist, 27.02; 36) Don Wardo, 26.22; 37) Bill Pfister, 26.41; 38) Kevin Keith, 27.27; 39) Martin Johnson, 25.46; 40) Don Clark, 27.43; 41) John Veloz, 27.08; 42) Lloyd Quinin, 21.55; 43) Frank Matlin, 23.50; 44) Bob Tompson, 28.21; 45) Chris Makaila, 30.39; 46) Ray Belli, 40.35.

THE
Iron Duke

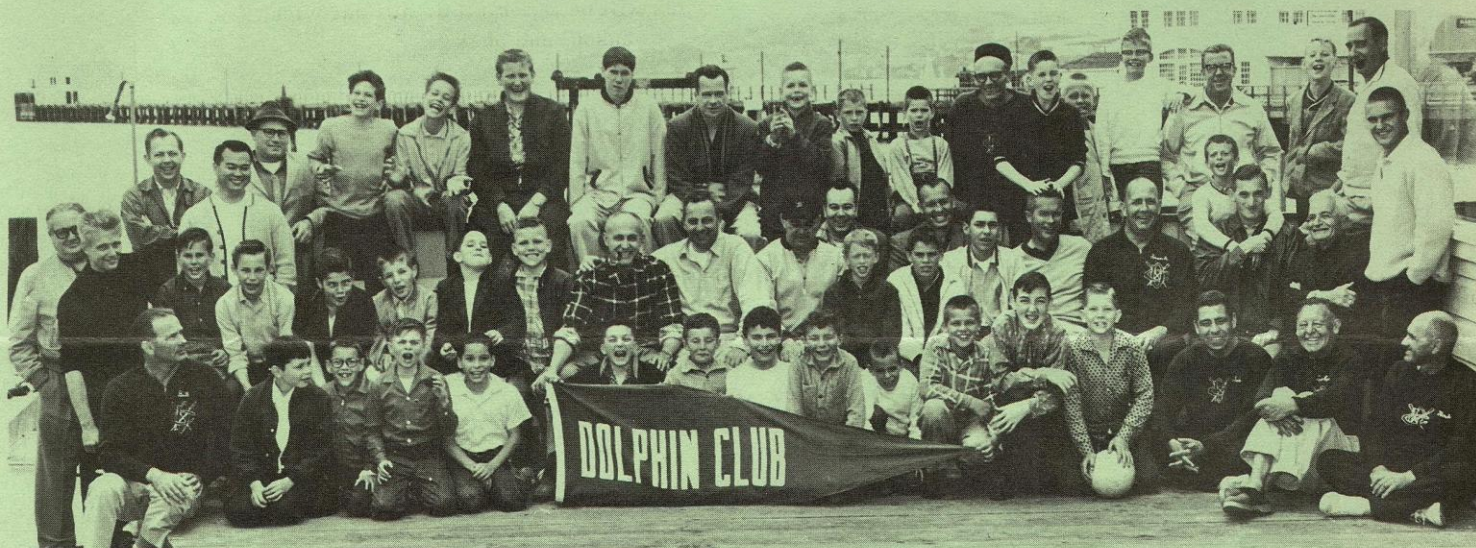


Douglas 2-4484
132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

DOLPHINS SERVE YOUTH



BIG BROTHER DAY, JUNE 3

With a sense of responsibility to the youth of the community, the Club has invited boys of the area to share its facilities and gain an appreciation of the sports of swimming and rowing.



HANNA CENTER BOYS DAY, JULY 1. *Frank Drum gives the lads a row.*



Forty-six swimmers compete in 10th Annual Handicap Swim, July 22



WE HEARD IN THE LOCKER ROOM By Roland Demarais

PAAO TO BE REVIVED, REGATTA PLANNED FOR NOVEMBER

Austin DeGraf, secretary of the San Diego Rowing Club and rowing enthusiast, recently visited San Francisco and talked to Tom Troneum about renewing the ancient rivalry between San Diego and the Dolphins. The big item is that the Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen will probably be revived. At this stage a regatta is planned at Lake Merced during the Thanksgiving holiday with fours and singles. The Dolphins hold the PAAO perpetual trophy winning the venerable plaque by the senior four-oared shell championship held in 1952.

SAM CITRON TO COMPETE IN ISRAEL OLYMPICS

Sam Citron, Dolphin water polo team coach, has been invited to compete on the American water polo team at the Maacabiah Games of the Israel Olympics at Tel-Aviv, August 29-September 4. He will join the nine man team for practice in New York August 10.

CONGRATULATIONS TO MERIONETTES

Congratulations to the San Francisco Merionettes for winning the National AAU synchronized swimming team title in New Jersey. At last report the team will be flying to Tokyo this month under the sponsorship of the U.S. State Department.

ANYONE FOR ROWING... 105 MILES?

Les Hendry is signing up a crew for his flotilla that will row 105 miles to the Sacramento State Fair Sept. 1.

The doughty Dolphins will row the three doubles pleasure boats the *Farrell*, *Hughes*, and *Cronin*.

Consulting his tide table Les gave us this itinerary: Departure from Club, Friday, September 1, 5:30 a.m.; arriving at Crockett, 10:30 a.m.; departure from Crockett 3 p.m. and arrival at Antioch, 10 p.m.; arrival at Koket 11 a.m., Saturday; arrival at Steamboat Landing, 9 a.m., Sunday; arrival at Wheeler's Landing No. 2, 11 a.m.; arrival at Sacramento Yacht Club, 7:30 p.m., Sunday.

Probable crewmen are Ed deCossio and son, Jr., Tom Spencer, Myron Heckman, Ed Curtis, Jim Harris, Don Wardo, Gordon Cook, Joe Weiss and Jim Vanya.

NAMES AND ITEMS

Have you seen those attractive pictures hanging in the Club of S.F. scenes which were given by Bill Ferguson?... Jim Vanya did a fine job installing the new fixtures in the Staib Room... Gladys and Lawton Hughes are flying to Hawaii this week for a two week vacation.

THE HANDICAP SWIM HASHED OVER

By Frank Adams

Don't underestimate the power of the tide. The handicap didn't shape up to par for two reasons. The tide and anchors, or the lack of good anchors for our bouys or markers. Our markers were pulled off course by the tide. All you could hear while patrolling the course was a swimmer yelling, "Where is that marker, where the H... is that marker?" In the future we hope the Club will purchase some anchors to hold those markers steady.

This is the second time this swim has been held on an ebb tide. We discovered this has been an advantage to the slower swimmer. This swim should be held on an in-coming tide every year so that the handicaps can work out more accurately. Our fastest swimmer was six minutes back when the winner finished. A match race between Bob Hoff and Bob Farrell at the same handicap and swimming on an in-coming would prove that Hoff could not beat Farrell by six minutes. It should be close to a dead heat. It might also prove we should swim the handicap on an incoming tide every year. Our fastest swimmers didn't have a chance on that ebb tide.

Regardless of our problems everyone enjoyed the swim. The steak lunch following the swim was great. Thanks to the galley crew.

1961 YACHT HARBOR SWIM RESULTS

1. Bob Farrell, 29.00; 2. Hector Valencia, 30.35; 3. Bill Sacovich, 30.37; 4. Dan Osborne, 31.00; 5. Tom Verdier, 31.55; 6. Bob Demo, 32.40; 7. Rod Quinan, 33.42; 8. Herman Rossbach, 35.20; 9 Bob Webb, 35.22; 10. Gordon Cook, 36.00; 11. Dave Hinton, 36.01; 12. Don Wardo, 36.25; 13. Ted Monell, 37.00; 14. Bob Hoff, 37.10; 15. Claude Walters, 37.35; 16. John Stevenson, 37.36; 17. Fred Howard, 38.10; 18. Joe Weiss, 38.12; 19. Frank Drum, 38.13; 20. Ed Luyken, 40.50; 21. Lee Tigert, 43.20; 22. Chet Wing, 45.30.

FISH
POULTRY



G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
 CHOICE STALL FED MEATS


Phone
Graystone 4-9029
1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
SAN FRANCISCO 23

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTTO
 SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM
Also Broiled Steaks and Chops
DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • ORdway 3-9565





LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Virgil Anderson	Swimmer	Joined 1930
Don Baggiani	Past President	Joined 1935
Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Russ Channing	Handball Player	Joined 1929
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Mike Desmond	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1936
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
Andy Dunne	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Dino Landucci, Sr.	Oarsman	Joined 1935
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
K. H. "Mac" McIsaac	Oarsman	Joined 1929
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Jake Toschi	Handball Player	Joined 1928
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Ed de Cossio	Rower	Joined 1955
Roland Demarais	Past President	Joined 1946
Ken Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1956
Phil Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Steve J. Gaal	Past President	Joined 1953
Dr. Steve Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1953
Howard Hall	Handball Player	Joined 1959
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Don Kane	Gate Champion	Joined 1953
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Frank Mennucci	Past President	Joined 1940
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952
Robert G. Nielson	Qarsman	Joined 1947
Walt Schneebeli	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1948
Albert Swanson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1959
Voldi Walter	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Joe Weiss	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1944

BOOSTERS

Adding their names to the BOOSTER LIST are Sal Sancimino and Zach Stewart.

BE A DOLPHIN BOOSTER!

Send your \$5.00 to Frank Mennucci



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XIII, NUMBER 5

OCTOBER 1961

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

45th DOLPHIN GOLDEN GATE SWIM, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8

By Frank Drum

SWIMMERS TO MAKE BIG SPLASH

As a fitting climax to a very successful and ambitious swim schedule for 1961 63 Dolphins anxiously await the sound of the starter's gun signaling the start of the 45th annual Dolphin Golden Gate Swim.

The swim is dedicated to the physical fitness program as outlined by the nation's number one swimmer J.F.K.

Twenty five polliwogs will be making their first attempt to touch the rock at Lime Point: Paul Adrian, Steve Wing Belcher, John Billet, Sam Citron, Ed Decossio Jr., Pat Dreyfuss, Mel Henry, Bert Holliday, Lui Kaopua, Cliff Kamaka, Bill Love, Vern Loudon, Ed Luyken, Chris Makaila, Frank Matlin, Mike Morris, Dan Osborne, Ike Papke, Sam Quinan, Herm Rossbach, Bill Sakovich, Jim Small, and Bob Thompson, Tom Verdier, and Frank Pavich.

Last years Gate Champion Hector Valencia will be hard pressed to stave off the efforts of such star swimmers as Bob Farrell, Jim Small, Sam Citron, Bill Love, Gary Bundy, Bill Sakovich, Joe Flahaven, and Dan Osborne to mention but a few. The entire swimmers roster is loaded with past, present and future record holders.

The youngest swimmer is Steve Wing Belcher, seventeen years; the oldest is his Great Uncle Chet Wing seventy years young. Two Father-Son teams the Decossio's and the Gaal's are competing this year.

From all walks of life representing the professions, the craftsmen, the blue collar and the white collar as well as the student come the participants in this swim. Dolphins everyone of them bound by a common desire to further the cause of open water swimming and promote the interests of good sportsmanship. Following the swim there will be dancing at the club house and the presentation of trophies. Spectators may watch the swim from harbor Tours boat which will leave Pier 45 at 10:30 A.M. Tickets \$1.00 each.

SCHEDULE

Swimmers & Pilots Meeting, Wednesday, Oct. 4, 1961, at 8:00 P.M.
Pilots assemble at the Club 8:30 A.M.
Pilot Boats Depart 9:30 A.M.
Swimmers assemble at Club 9:00 A.M.
Swimmers' boat departs from Pier 43. 10:00 A.M.
Spectator boat departs from Harbor Tours, Pier 45. 10:30 A.M.
Swimmers "Jump-Off" at Golden Gate 11:00 A.M.

SWIM QUEEN

Lovely Miss Georgia Kalnin, 16-year-old Lowell High student and member of the San Francisco Merionettes synchronized swim team has been selected the Dolphin Club's MISS GOLDEN GATE SWIM OF 1961.

This is the third beauty crown for the young queen as she was previously selected as Homecoming Queen as a freshman at Lowell in 1959 and earlier this year was crowned Miss



Miss Golden Gate Swim
Georgia Kalnin

Indoor National AAU Synchronized Swimming Championships. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Trot Kalnin of 74 Justin Drive, San Francisco. Georgia's 12-year-old brother Roger is a member of of the Dolphin Club's age group swim team.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Boat Repair Fund

As of Sept. 29, there is over \$1,700 in the Boat Repair Fund. The response to the fund appeal has far exceeded the Board of Directors expectations. We feel in our hearts that we will go over our goal as soon as we hear from the rest of the members who have temporarily forgotten about the letter they received from Bud Sterling, our chairman for the fund.

It is a beautiful sight upon entering the Club now to see how ship-shape the boats look.

Harvest Moon Dance, Oct. 21

In order to implement our drive for the Boat Repair Fund we have scheduled a Harvest Moon Dance, Saturday, Oct. 21, at the Club. We feel we can mix business with pleasure and hope from the dance receipts we can put the drive well over the top.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE (Continued from page one)

Quickie Handball Singles

The handball awards dinner at Jake Toschi's was greatly enjoyed by the gang.

There will be a sign-up list at the Club for a "Quickie" Singles to start about the end of October.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Bill Ferguson, Matt Moon, and Joe Ambrose for their wonderful job in widening the entrance of the "B" court. Also congratulations to Hank "McFaren" Willinger for the beautiful garden he planted in back of the Club.

Ray Belluomini, *President*

FORT POINT SWIM A REAL TEST

By Claude Walters

One of Swimming Commissioner Frank Drum's new swims for the benefit of the hardy new members, as well as the old, proved to be a tough test even for the most accomplished natator last Aug. 27. The course stretched from the mine dock at Fort Point to the small beach behind the Dolphin Club. Due to an unforeseen delay which caused a late start, the expected "tide ride" turned out to be a tortuous three mile struggle. Twenty-six swimmers started and 22 finished. The finishers and their respective times follow:

1. Bob Farrell	59:12
2. Hector Valencia	1:01:20
3. Bill Sakovich	1:01:40
4. Frank Blair	1:08:43
5. Bill Love	1:10:45
6. Bert Holiday	1:12:25
7. Sam Quinan	1:18:37
8. Al Swanson	1:19:35
9. Walter Schneebeli	1:20:40
10. Isaac Pepke	1:21:58
11. Herman Rossbach	1:22:47
12. Milton Morris	1:23:25
13. Martin Johnson	1:25:19
14. Tom Verdier	1:28:15
15. Vern Loudon	1:29:05
16. Joe Bruno	1:30:00
17. Don Wardo	1:31:25
18. Bob Webb	1:32:13
19. Claude Walters	1:34:10
20. Doctor Fred Howard	1:35:05
21. Voldy Walter	1:35:40
22. Ted Monell	1:36:53

TREASURE ISLAND SWIM TRIAL

Preparing for the 1962 swims, commissioner Drum and two adventurers, Dr. Fred Howard and Gordon Cook, navigated a trial swim course from Pier 14 to Treasure Island last month. Staying together, the three swimmers completed the swim in about one and one-half hours.

Commissioner Drum stated that, though difficult, the swim was feasible and therefore will be added to the regularly scheduled swims for the coming year.

ELMER C. GUNTHER
BAYLY, MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA
BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANSOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

BOAT REPAIR FUND REPORT

By Bud Sterling

As we go to press the Boat Repair Fund Drive is reaching the \$1,700 mark and it is very gratifying to know that we have so many loyal Dolphins. Of course the list is headed by honored member Dr. A.W. Ward. When money is needed you can always count on the Doctor. Then there is Ted Monell who has yet to say no to the Dolphins, whether the cause is financial or legal counseling.

Dick Harms writes, "Dear Bud: Received your letter re repair of Dolphin boats. Enclosed please find check (\$100.00). . ."

Also from Col. Rudolph Wagner, "Dear Friend and Dolphin Bud: Yours of the 8th. Herewith enclosed check (\$100.00) as my contribution to the need of boat maintenance. Hope that your appeal will bear worthy results. Will try if possible to see you shortly if luck prevails. Kindly remember me to the Bunch."

Ed Bense writes, "Dear Bud: I am an oarsman and rowing enthusiast and I want to do my share. Enclosed please find check (\$25.00).

With his donation fisherman Freddie Herms writes, "What has been done to recondition the Oyster?"

"Dear Bud: Received your letter and will gladly donate to the fund. Fellow Dolphin George Kniese.

Dr. Fred Howard writes, "The Dolphin is a great club. Enclosed please find check."

And that Gate swimmer Joe Mares writes, "Dear Bud: Please accept this donation for our Club."

Life member Roy Clark says, "Hi Bud: It's a pleasure to enclose check. Often think of you and the Club."

So it goes to show that we have a wonderful bunch of members and as our Vice President and Swimming Commissioner puts it, "It's a real pleasure to be associated with men of this caliber."

The list started as follows:

Dr. A. W. Ward	\$150.00
Ted Monell	100.00
Dick Harms	100.00
Col. Rudolph Wagner	100.00
Steve Gaal	100.00
Zack Stewart	70.00
Tim O'Shea	50.00
Chet Wing	50.00
Dr. Fred Howard	50.00
Tom Crowley	50.00
Dan Murphy	32.00
Joe Mares	30.00
Les Spiegelman	25.00

So let's keep it going as we all know we have the best Club in the country.



DOuglas 2-4484

132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS

RACCOON STRAITS RESULTS ARE BOTH FAST AND SURPRISING

By Claude Walters

On a rainy, calm Saturday morning, September 16, 1961 the Dolphin Club held its tenth annual Raccoon Straits swim. The rain in September was not the only surprise. New member, James Small, surprised such established favorites as Don Kane, Bob Farrell, Hector Valencia and Joe Flahaven, by winning the 5/8 mile swim by a full minute. The field was the largest ever entered for a Dolphin Swim across the straits, which is a mute testimony to the success of Commissioner Frank Drum's swim programs. The swimmers all finished in very close order and, as may be seen below, in extremely fast times:

1. James Small, 14.00; 2. Bob Farrell, 15.10; 3. Don Kane 15.10; 4. Hector Valencia, 15.20; 5. Joe Flahaven, 15.45; 6. Frank Blair, 16.45; 7. Mike Milliman, 17.05; 8. Bert Holiday, 18.10; 9. Bill Watson, 18.14; 10. Vince Cannizzaro, 18.30; 11. John Billet, 18.40; 12. Sam Quinan, 18.50; 13. Herman Rossbach, 19.00; 14. Al Swanson, 19.02; 15. Tom Verdier, 19.05; 16. Steve Belcher, 19.06; 17. Walter Schneebeli, 19.30; 18. Bill Williams, 19.35; 19. Mike Morris, 19.40; 20. Frank Matlin, 19.45; 21. Claude Walters, 20.01; 22. Ed Curtis, 20.15; 23. Isaac Papke, 20.45; 24. Rudy DeMay, 20.46; 25. Bill Pfister, 21.05; 26. Tom Troneum 21.07; 27. Voldy Walter, 21.20; 28. David Hinton, 21.24; 29. Robert Johnson, 21.30; 30. Gordon Cook, 21.38; 31. John Stephenson, 21.40; 32. Don Warto, 21.45; 33. Kevin Keith, 22.30; 34. Joe Mares, 22.35; 35. Fred Howard, 22.36; 36. Herbert Jackson, 22.40; 37. Phil Gaal, 22.43; 38. Joe Weiss, 23.00; 39. Cliff Quist, 23.09; 40. Robert Thompson, 23.20; 41. Vern Loudon, 23.21; 42. Edward F. DeCossio, 23.24; 43. Mel Henry, 23.30; 44. Ed Luyken, 24.00; 45. Paul Adrian, 24.40; 46. Chris Makaila, 24.41; 47. Frank Drum, 25.00; 48. Sal Cannizzaro, 25.10; 49. Steve Gaal, 25.30; 50. Eddie DeCossio, Sr., 26.00; 51. Charles Sackett, 26.25. 52. Pat Kelly, 27.05.

From the astounding success of this swim, it would appear that the field for the Golden Gate will be the largest in the Dolphin history.

- FRIENDS - VIRGINIA RYBICKI

FISH

POULTRY

G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS


Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
Graystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.

DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM

COCKTAILS

NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF • SAN FRANCISCO • Ordway 3-9565





LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Virgil Anderson	Swimmer	Joined 1930
Don Baggiani	Past President	Joined 1935
Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Russ Channing	Handball Player	Joined 1929
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Mike Desmond	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1936
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
Andy Dunne	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Marcus Hein	Oarsman	Joined 1919
Dino Landucci, Sr.	Oarsman	Joined 1935
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
K. H. "Mac" McIsaac	Oarsman	Joined 1929
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Jake Toschi	Handball Player	Joined 1928
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Ed de Cossio	Rower	Joined 1955
Roland Demarais	Past President	Joined 1946
Ken Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1956
Phil Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Steve J. Gaal	Past President	Joined 1953
Dr. Steve Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1953
Howard Hall	Handball Player	Joined 1959
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Don Kane	Gate Champion	Joined 1953
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Frank Mennucci	Past President	Joined 1940
Robert G. Nielson	Oarsman	Joined 1947
Sal Sancimino	Swimmer	Joined 1961
Walt Schneebeli	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1948
Zach Stewart	Rower	Joined 1961
Albert Swanson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1959
Scotty Tarantino	Handball	Joined 1946
Voldi Walter	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Joe Weiss	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1944
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

APPRECIATION

We wish to express our appreciation to the U. S. Coast Guard, the Crowley Launch and Tug Co., The South End Rowing Club, the S.F. Council of the Sea Scouts, and the Mariposa Boat Club. All of whom assisted in today's swim.

45TH ANNUAL GOLDEN GATE SWIM ROSTER

by Don Kane

1. **PAUL ADRIAN** Maitre De at the Clift Hotel. Making his first Gate Swim today. Known in the swimming circles as a pacer.
2. **STEVE BELCHER** Seventeen year old member of the Oakland High School Swim Team. Steve will be making his first Golden Gate Swim today. The youngest in today's swim and will be competing with his grandfather, Chet Wing who will be the oldest in today's test.
3. **JOHN BILLET** A newcomer to Gate Swims, John is yet untested in rough water swimming.
4. **FRANK BLAIR** Frank is another leading contender and should be in the top ten.
5. **GARY BOUNDY** Star sprint swimmer at S.F. State, Gary has found it difficult to adjust to rough water swimming. Must change his training habits if he is to beat any of the big shots.
6. **JOE BRUNO** Chalk up number 25 today! That's correct, his twenty-fifth today. It seems this boy never grows old!
7. **VINCE CANNIZZARO** Lover boy Vince seems to be the target for all of the senior member swimmers in today's race. Any one of them would sure like to be victorious over Vince but that looks doubtful from here.
8. **DON CLARK** Don placed fourth last year. His best time was 29 minutes in 1957.
9. **GORDON COOK** Making his second Gate Swim today. Has shown improvement over last year's 17th place however with stronger competition this year he will have difficulty placing higher.
10. **SAM CITRON** Sam has just returned from Israel where he played on the championship United States Water Polo team in the Maacabiah Games in Tel-Aviv. He is in condition and must be considered a contender in today's go!
11. **ED CURTIS** Ed making the top ten last year by placing 10th will have trouble improving his standing due to the influx of college swimmers into this years competition. However, Ed is always strong in the Gate Swim.
12. **ED de COSSIO** "Happy Go Lucky Ed" is always pleased with his showings. Should do about the same as last year and be just as pleased!
13. **ED de COSSIO, JR.** Eddie, Jr. will be joining his dad in a combined effort. This will be Junior's first Gate Swim test.
14. **RUDY DE MAY** Smilin' Jack will do O.K! You can bet on that. He's a good strong swimmer.
15. **PAT DREYFUS** Considered a turncoat by Southenders but that's all right Pat, we're "Glad to have you aboard!"
16. **FRANK DRUM** Big Daddy Frank, our beloved Swimming Commissioner has shown steady improvement since his first try at rough water swimming. Should show improvement over last year's 31st place.
17. **BOB FARRELL** Now a sophomore at Stanford where he swims and plays water polo. Bob is a definite contender in today's race and has the speed but there will be many "ifs" if Bob is to win today, mainly - Confidence!
18. **JOE FLAHAVEN** Joe placed second in last year's swim. A good competitor who should be in the top bracket today.
19. **PHIL GAAL** Phil, who recently completed a tour of duty as an officer in the Navy joins with his brother, Dr. Steve, to swim with papa Steve Gaal.
20. **STEVE GAAL** Steve the Electrician - would like nothing better than to electrify the crowd today. The father of four boys will be making his tenth Dolphin Gate Swim today.
21. **DR. STEVE GAAL** Ole Doc Gaal will be joining father Gaal for their usual outing in today's swimfest!
22. **DAVE HINTON** Beachcomber Dave will be making his third Gate Swim attempt today. He did not swim last year.
23. **MEL HENRY** Placed second in the Cove Handicap Swim. One of the most improved swimmers in the club today!
24. **BOB HOFF** The swimming printer. Bob won the Cove Handicap Swim earlier this spring and has shown much improvement over last year's performance's.
25. **BERT HOLIDAY** The former star sprinter at Stanford, Bert will be a darkhorse today. He lacks experience in Bay Swimming but could surprise a few people.
26. **DR. FRED HOWARD** Doc Howard isn't getting any younger but you'd never know it by the way he has improved in the past two years. Placed 18th last year and you can count on him to place a little higher this year.
27. **HERB JACKSON** Herb is a C.P.A. and very enthusiastic about swimming. Showed well in the Cove Handicap Swim. Fine Swimmer!
28. **BOB JOHNSON** Bob is getting back into the swing of things again after being in Salt Lake City for two years. Back in San Francisco again he's getting back into the swim. Placed 12th in the '58 Swim.
29. **MARTIN JOHNSON** Breaststroker originally from England where the breaststroke is taught before the crawl stroke. Placed well in the Fort Point Swim.
30. **CLIFF KAMAKA** Cliff is head Lifeguard at the S.F. Recreation Department. An excellent body surfer.
31. **LUI KAOPUA** Will be making his first Golden Gate Swim this morning. Lui is a Life Guard for the S.F. Recreation and Park Department and also works as a Hawaiian entertainer.
32. **KEVIN KEITH** A papa to be! Believes in the Swim For Fun Program! Should place in the middle of the pack someplace!
33. **ED LUYKEN** The invasion of the newcomers continues! Ed showed well in the Cove Handicap Swim by placing 18th. Could possibly make the top twenty today providing the lack of experience does not affect him.
34. **BILL LOVE** Is a junior at the University of California where he swims back stroke for the Blue 'n Gold! If he has adjusted to the conditions he'll probably push a few of the big boys.
35. **VERNE LOUDEN** Another First Timer! Past showings indicate he is a fair swimmer. Surprised a few by placing seventh in the Cove Handicap Swim.
36. **CHRIS MAKAILA** Raised in the Hawaiian Islands where every child is taught to swim at an early age. However Chris is no great threat! Should place in the second twenty.
37. **JOE MARES** Another member of the Swim For Fun Movement, Joe will be making his fifteenth Gate Swim this morning.
38. **FRANK MATLIN** Is a parttime Life Guard and Student at S.F. State. Frank will be making his first Gate Swim today.
39. **PAUL MELEE** Strong, determined Paul finds it hard to get time to train what with his duties as Assistant U. S. District Attorney. Paul will come down from Sacramento for this event.
40. **MIKE MILLIMAN** The swimming Swimming Coach of Fresno. Mike placed last year and will probably finish about the same this year, however you never know in this game. Mike is coach of the Fresno Dolphin Age Group Swim Team in the Raisin Capital.
41. **TED MONELL** The swimming barrister will show the boys from the Olympic Club just how it's done. Go to it Ted.
42. **MIKE MORRIS** Making his first Gate Swim today. Mike gave up the pub business for greener pastures and fresher air. Could possibly make the top twenty today.
43. **BILL O'BRIEN** A doubtful starter today, Bill showed good improvement last year but has not been training regularly this year.
44. **DAN OSBORNE** Former Stanford ace who won the PCC 1500 meter championships as well as the 440 while attending school on the farm. Also placed second in the NCAA Championships same year. A Darkhorse in today's swim.
45. **ISAAC PAPKE** Former star athlete at Galileo High School. Originally from the Hawaiian Islands.
46. **FRANK PAVICH** Frank starred on the USC football teams during the '53, '54, and '55 seasons. Keeping active by swimming.
47. **BILL PFISTER** Bill is returning to action as he did not swim last year. Bill made the crossing in 33 minutes in 1959.
48. **LLOYD QUINAN** Lloyd formerly played water polo for the Illinois Athletic Club in Chicago. Should do well today.
49. **CLIFF QUIST** Cliff will be making his 21st Gate Swim attempt today and you can never count Cliff out of the swim. Cliff's nephew is a member of the club's age group swim team.
50. **HERMAN ROSSBACH** Is a policeman for the San Francisco Police Department who should finish strong today.
51. **CHARLES SACKETT JR.** Strong body, strong mind! A physical culturist, Charlie believes in keeping physically fit, will be making his fourth bid this year.
52. **BILL SAKOVICH** Will be returning from his studies at UCLA to compete today. Has finished strong in the early season swims this year. Will be a top ten contender.
53. **WALT SCHNEEBELI** Walt placed ninth in last years swim and will have to really go to do the same again this year. Count on him for placing 20th or better.
54. **PAUL SILVESTER** The Dolphin Club's top seniority man. Will be making his 30th Gate Swim today. That's right, he has 29 crossings accredited to him already.
55. **JIM SMALL** Jim must be considered the favorite today after his convincing victory in the recent Raccoon Straits Swim. Jim is the fastest 440 and 1500 swimmer the University of California has ever produced and also has the experience of rough water swimming as he has competed in the famous La Jolla Swim and other southern California ocean swims.

OFFICIALS OF THE DAY

Marshall of the Course	Lawton Hughes
Starter	Frank Mennucci
Swimming Commissioner	Frank Drum
Assistant Swimming Commissioner	Bill Williams
Chief Pilot	George De Gear
Assistant Pilot	Bill Durkee
	Tim O'Shea
	Jack Gordon
	Don Kane
Timers and Judges	Ed Olson
	Sal Cannizzaro
	Bobbie Robinson
	Ed Barrett
	Ray Morino
Supervisors of Swimmers	Dominic Anzalone
	Jack Rousseau
Host on Spectator Boat	Roland Demarais

GOLDEN GATE SWIM ROSTER

(Continued from page 3)

56. **JOHN STEPHENSON** John is a steady and reliable swimmer who also likes the Handball Courts.
57. **AL SWANSON** A surfing enthusiast and life guard for the S.F. Recreation and Park Department. Al is a student at S.F. State College.
58. **BOB THOMPSON** Beachcomber and Life Guard Bob will be making his first Gate Swim attempt this morning.
59. **TOM TRONEUM** Tom injured his back following the Raccoon Straits Swim and will be a doubtful starter today. In the event he does make the attempt he'll be sure to push most of the oldsters.
60. **HECTOR VALENCIA** The defending champion has his hands full this year but is considered co-favorite in some quarters. His experience certainly paid off last year and could again this year. Hector is planning to retire from competition after this swim and would like to retire a champion. He's got the desire!
61. **JIM VANYA** Jim was unable to complete last year's test so will be going today with the goal of finishing. Enthusiastic oarsman originally from Yugoslavia.
62. **JOHN VELOZ** A former Lifeguard and now a newlywed who is making his first crossing.
63. **TOM VERDIER** Galileo's star swimmer, Tom will be making his first Golden Gate Swim attempt. Should make the top twenty with ease!
64. **DON WARTO** Don has switched over to the Dolphin Club from arch-rival South End Rowing Club with the anticipation of additional competition. He'll get it with us that's for sure. Don also participated in the recent row to Sacramento for the State Fair.
65. **VOLDY WALTER** Voldy will be making his 5th Golden Gate Swim today and has shown steady improvement since joining the club in 1957. A good steady swimmer.
66. **CLAUDE WALTERS** The swimming secretary will be making his second attempt today and will be shooting to improve his 30th place finish last year. He has served the Club now for two years as recording secretary and has done an outstanding job.
67. **BOB WEBB** Bob will probably be seen using the backstroke today and will be making his second crossing. Could make the top twenty!
68. **JOE WEISS** Sometimes Joe uses the Breaststroke and at times will be seen using the trudgeon. Will be making his 16th crossing today!
69. **BILL WILLIAMS** Entered last year Bill injured his back just prior to the Gate Swim and was unable to compete so he'll be gunning for his first official crossing today.
70. **CHET WING** We started off with his grandson Steve Belcher and now end up the proceedings with Chet who by the way at 68½ will be the oldest competing. Good Luck!

TROPHY DONORS

Admiral Tavern, Pat Schofield
Awards Unlimited, Art Goldenberg
Buena Vista Cafe, Jack Koeppler
Cardinal Electric Co., Steve Gaal
Cincotta Bros.
College Hill Cleaners
DiMaggios Restaurant, Tom DiMaggio
Dolphin Club
Exposition Fish Grotto #1, Sil Oliva
Fifty Eight Club, Ed Salmon
Fort Mason Meat Market, Al Gragnani
Foster's Lunch System Ltd.
Harbor Tours Inc.
C. J. Hendry - Johnson & Joseph Co.
Dr. Fred Howard
Lawton Hughes
Anita Day Hubbard
Herb Jackson
George W. Kneass Co.
Lambros Restaurant, Joseph Mares
LaRocca's Corner, Leo LaRocca
Marin Plywood Co.
Marin-Dell Milk Co., Arnold Spinetti
E. Mennucci & Sons
Ted Monell
August Perlite
Regal Pale Brewery
Virginia Rybicki
Paul Silvester
San Francisco Merionettes, Don Kane
South End Rowing Club
Swan Oyster Depot, Sal Sancimino
The Smith Co.
Tom Troneum
Union Hardware Co., William Russo
A. Valente & Son
Winchester (Chet) Wing



DOLPHIN LOG



OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF THE DOLPHIN SWIMMING AND BOATING CLUB
502 Jefferson Street Edited by Roland Demarais Organized 1877

VOLUME XIII, NUMBER 6

DECEMBER 1961

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

OLD TIMERS DINNER, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

SWIMMING AND BOATING

By Frank Drum

SUCCESSFUL SWIM SEASON

The most successful aquatic program ever undertaken by the Dolphin Club was climaxed by the largest turnout for the Golden Gate Swim in Club history. Despite a weeks postponement caused by 50 mph gales and 5 foot swells, sixty-six Dolphins jumped-off for the swim, sixty-four made it. The dance and trophy presentation ruled over by Swim Queen Georgia Kalnin was very successful. All who participated including the members from the Mariposa Boat Club patrol boats had a terrific time.

Three additional swims are being planned for the 1962 season, bringing to nine the total number of scheduled and sponsored events. One little jaunt definitely in the picture is the Sausalito to Aquatic Park swim. Treasure Island is another. For those who desire to swim you may be sure there will be plenty of action.

WATER POLO

Under the expert guidance and instruction of Sam Citron and Jim Small the Dolphin Club Water Polo Team finally became a reality. Lacking are the water polo goals which the Recreation Dept. of the City and County of San Francisco has been trying to get for the last six months.

(Continued on Page Two)

1962 OFFICERS NOMINATED

At the nominating meeting held Wednesday, November 15, the following were elected to the Nomination Committee: Ray Belluomini, Claude Walters, Howard Hall, Frank Mennucci, and John Stephenson. The committee chose the following slate of officers to run on the Regular Ticket:

Frank Drum President
Howard Hall Vice President
Claude Walters Financial Secretary
Al Gragnani Treasurer
Frank Mennucci Boat Captain
Walt Schneebeli Recording Secretary
Directors — Ray Belluomini, Lawton Hughes, John Stephenson, Charlie Sackett, and Hector Valencia.

For personal business reasons Frank Mennucci did not choose to run as Financial Secretary.

The Regular Ticket will be voted in Wednesday, December 13, at the annual meeting, unless an Opposition Ticket is brought forward.

By Ray Belluomini, President

HAPPY HOUR 6 P.M.

DINNER 7:30 P.M.

RESERVATIONS: Bud Sterling, OV 1-9527

After a highly successful Gate Swim and Harvest Moon Dance we are now looking forward to our big night to honor the Old Timers, Saturday, December 2, which will be co-chaired by three wonderful Dolphins, namely: Lawton Hughes, Tom Troneum, and Bud Sterling.

This should be a "must" night for every member who hasn't been around the Club for a few years to see for themselves the work that has been accomplished.

Chef "Cardini" Andy Dunne with his able assistants will prepare a delicious prime rib roast dinner preceded by fresh cracked crab so ably attained by Scotty Tarantino.

INITIATION OF NEW MEMBERS

Saturday, December 2, 5 P.M.

All members new to the Club this year are requested to be present at the clubhouse, Saturday, December 2, at 5 p.m., for the initiation ritual.

69th ANNUAL HIKE & DIP

Sunday, December 17

BREAKFAST AT THE CLIFF HOUSE

The 69th Annual Hike & Dip will be held Sunday, December 17, with the well conditioned Dolphins starting from the clubhouse at 9 a.m. sharp, and one "phoney" with the initials C.A.S. starting from Land's End.

After the Dip we will have breakfast at the Cliff House. Sign up for breakfast at the Club.

To those hearty Dolphins making the Dip, and we are looking forward to the biggest group in our history, we request you wear the official Club sweat shirt and pants.

KIDDIES XMAS PARTY

Saturday, December 23

Santa will arrive at the Club, Saturday, December 23, at 1 p.m., with his skiff loaded with presents. The party is for members' children, under 12, only! Mail reservations (deadline Dec. 17), sign up at the Club, or call Frank Mennucci at OR 3-6056.

A Tom & Jerry Party will follow the kiddies program.

SWIMMING and BOATING (Continued from Page One)

The team practices every Monday nite from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Rossi Pool, Arguello at Anza Sts. Visitors are welcome to attend. Members playing are, Joe Flahaven, Bert Holiday, Bill Love, Mike Morris, Ike Papke, Sam Quinan, Al Swanson, Tom Verdier, Jim Vanya, Julius Gorek, John Billet, Bob Demo (who is Army bound), Dan Osborne, Hector Valencia, Kevin Keith, Rudy DeMay, Jim Small and Sam Citron. Several games have been arranged, the first being against the U.S. Maritime Academy.

BOATS AND GENERAL REPAIRS

With but a few finishing touches remaining all the boats are in first class shape for the first time in many years and with a minimum amount of care and maintenance they will remain serviceable for a long time to come. New eight inch rubber tired ball bearing wheels have been put on the four oared boat dollies. The dock is undergoing extensive but much needed repairs. When completed the dock will be completely redecked and fenced off on the west side.

The Keenan Room long neglected and seldom used is the scene of much activity these days. Several Dolphins interested in physical culture and body building are converting this area into a gymnasium. Much equipment has been loaned or donated for this endeavor. For those who are not handball players or who find the chilly waters of the bay too uncomfortable for enjoyable swimming, the gym is the ideal place for keeping fit. A Committee including, Claude Walters, Dave Hinton, Tom Verdier, Hans Kramer, Charlie Sackett, Moon Passinissi and Cliff Kamaka is now in operation on this project.


HIKE AND DIP

All Dolphin members who intend to make the Hike and Dip on Sunday, December 17, are requested to wear the official Club sweat shirt. These shirts can be purchased from Hirsch & Price at 130 Post St. As newspaper and television cameras will be taking pictures of us, let's bring credit and distinction to the Dolphin Club by appearing as individuals proud of our achievements as Dolphins and justifiably proud of the Club we represent. Last year we looked like Cox's Army.

GOOD AND WELFARE

The present antiquated and outdated Constitution and By-Laws is being revised and brought up to date. As it now stands, we are trying to run a 1961 concern with 1910 rules and regulations. Ample notice and sufficient information will be given to all members before any action is taken on the new Constitution.

WORLD FAMOUS
EXPOSITION FISH GROTTTO
SIL OLIVA, Mgr.
DINING ROOM Also Broiled Steaks and Chops DINING ROOM
COCKTAILS
NO. 1 ON FISHERMAN'S WHARF - SAN FRANCISCO - ORdway 3-9565



ELMER C. GUNTHER
DAILY MARTIN & FAY, Inc.
INSURANCE ENGINEERS
OF CALIFORNIA
BROKERAGE - ANALYSTS - COUNSELORS
GARFIELD 1-5931
114 SANBOME ST. SAN FRANCISCO 4

BOAT REPAIR FUND REPORT

By Bud Sterling

The Boat Repair Fund Drive is coming along just fine with \$2380 in the till. We have only \$120 to go for a touchdown.

The latest ball carriers have been Don Clark and life member Carl Ludeman - the big delicatessen man.

Let it never be said that the Dolphin Club started something it couldn't finish. Wouldn't it be swell if we heard from some more of the members and reached that \$2,500 goal line?

WE THE DOLPHINS

By Bud Sterling

They don't row or swim, but do they love handball. In this case reference is made to the LaRocca families. There is Al with his sons Vince and Jack, and brother Leo with his sons Vince and Jack (We well remember some of those mighty matches played by Al and "All American" Hector Stevens).

These fellows play in all the tournaments whether doubles or singles and never fail to make a showing, having many trophies to show for their prowesses. But when they are matched against each other, then the feud is on. Brother against brother and cousin against cousin. But don't think the feud is only in the court, for in the gallery the wives are there who are also the mothers and in some instances it is not difficult to understand why the house is divided.

Most likely the pride and joy of the group is Big Vince who is the champion of the Club.

This modest fellow is a great player to watch and it will take a mighty fine player to relieve him of his title. Vince has also brought glory to the Club by winning outside tournaments.

Besides handball these LaRoccas are mighty fine musicians and you can always count on brother Leo to bring the gang to start off a dinner with some very peppy tunes.

So any of you members who like to talk handball or hear some good music, drop over to LaRocca's Corner on the Avenue and you won't be disappointed.

NEW LIFE MEMBERS TO BE HONORED

Three men will receive their 25 year Life Member certificates at the Old Timers Dinner, Saturday, December 2. To be honored are Mike Desmond, Gus Gelardi, and Bill Mahood.

FISH  POULTRY

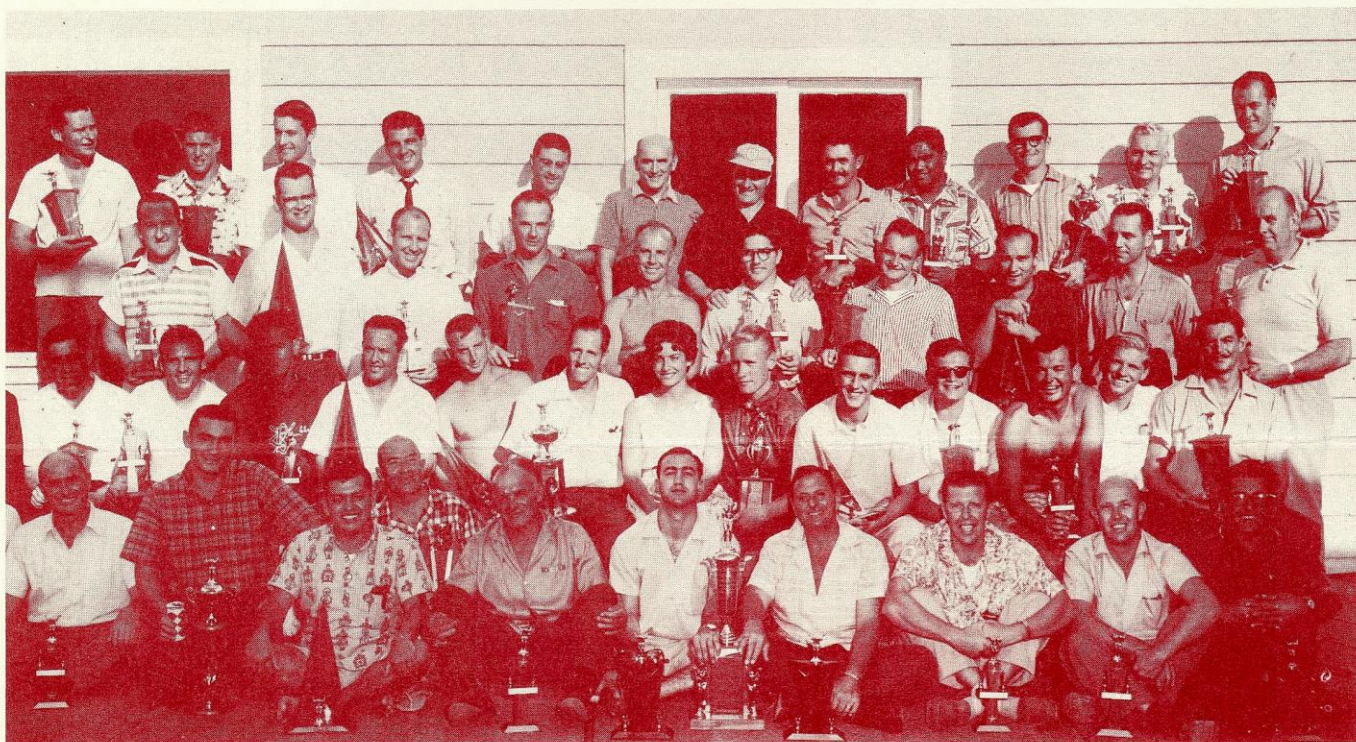
G. GRAGNANI & SON
FORT MASON MEAT MARKET
CHOICE STALL FED MEATS
Phone 1711 GREENWICH ST. AT GOUGH
Graystone 4-9029 SAN FRANCISCO 23

THE **Iron Duke** DOuglas 2-4484
132 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO
Cocktails - Dinners
Luncheons - Banquets

Your Host DUKE DUPUIS



Sixty-six swimmers aboard the Red Stack Tug Sea Prince at the start of 45th annual Golden Gate Swim.



In top shape after the one mile test, swimmers pose with their trophies.

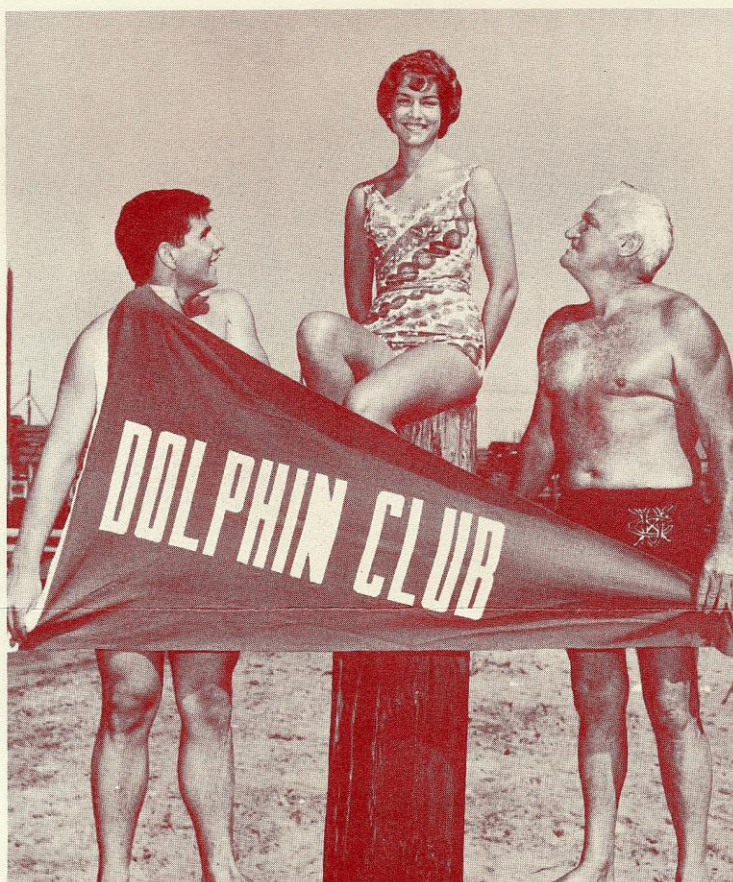
JIM SMALL CAPTURES GATE TITLE

Jim Small, one of the fastest 440 and 1500 meter swimmers ever produced by the University of California, won the 45th annual Dolphin Golden Gate Swim in 26 minutes 55 seconds.

Joe Flahaven took a surprise second place, 30:27,

and water polo coach Sam Citron placed third, 31:15.

Sixty-four out of the sixty-six starters finished the course on the warm Sunday morning. Times were slower than usual as the jump-off was on the end of an ebb-tide. (See page 4 for results.)



Miss Golden Gate Swim, Georgia Kalnin poses with Tom Serdier, left, and Ed Barrett.

RESULTS OF THE 45TH ANNUAL GOLDEN GATE SWIM, OCTOBER 8¹⁵

PLACE	SWIMMER	TIME	PLACE	SWIMMER	TIME
1.	Jim Small	26:55	33.	Ed deCossio, Jr.	51:30
2.	Joe Flahaven	30:27	34.	Verne Loudon	51:33
3.	Sam Citron	31:15	35.	Voldy Walter	51:58
4.	Bob Farrell	31:16	36.	Claude Walters	52:10
5.	Bill Sakovitch	31:39	37.	Don Warto	52:37
6.	Frank Blair	32:32	38.	Joe Bruno	53:09
7.	Hector Valencia	32:40	39.	Bob Webb	53:10
8.	Dan Osborne	35:24	40.	Dr. Steve Gaal	53:34
9.	Vince Cannizzaro	37:33	41.	Paul Silvester	53:35
10.	Mike Milliman	38:55	42.	Dr. Fred Howard	54:23
11.	Al Swanson	39:03	43.	Ted Monell	54:34
12.	Bert Holiday	39:21	44.	Bob Thompson	54:35
13.	Gary Boundy	39:36	45.	Ed Curtis	54:52
14.	Bill Love	39:42	46.	Gordon Cook	54:53
15.	Lloyd Quinan	40:18	47.	Tom Troneum	55:29
16.	Toufie Blake	40:22	48.	Bob Hoff	55:32
17.	John Billet	41:13	49.	John Stephenson	56:01
18.	Herman Rossback	41:43	50.	Herb Jackson	56:50
19.	Bill Williams	41:46	51.	Phil Gaal	57:09
20.	Steve Belcher	43:02	52.	Rudy DeMay	57:37
21.	Bill Light	43:08	53.	Ed Luyken	57:42
22.	Mike Morris	43:09	54.	Steve Gaal, Sr.	59:19
23.	Frank Matlin	43:57	55.	Ed deCossio, Sr.	60:18
24.	Bob Demo	43:58	56.	Kevin Keith	60:50
25.	Isaac Papke	44:26	57.	Charles Sackett	61:04
26.	Dave Hinton	44:55	58.	Joe Mares	61:05
27.	Tom Verdier	44:57	59.	Cliff Kamaka	63:37
28.	Bob Johnson	47:20	60.	Frank Drum	63:39
29.	Pat Dreyfus	48:11	61.	Chris Makaila	65:25
30.	Walt Schneebeli	49:02	62.	Mel Henry	67:13
31.	Bill Pfister	49:12	63.	Jim Vanya	69:35
32.	Cliff Quist	49:25	64.	Don Clark	70:07

DOLPHIN JUNIOR SWIMMERS IMPROVE By Don Kane



14-year old Greg Mahoney, High Point Dolphin Diver

With the AAU swimming season all but over and as we look back at our first year of competition we realize that the youngsters representing the Dolphin Club have not fared too badly, in fact they have done fairly well as this is the strongest age-group swimming area in the United States today.

We have had our share of bad luck in our first year of operation though as our top swimmer, Gary Cheroske has moved away from the area and our 11-12 year old breast stroker Pete Levesque is presently in Children's Hospital being treated for a bleeding ulcer. Pete will be out of action for another two months recuperating. The loss of Cheroske has hurt the team very much but we have also picked up some swimmers with potential. Lowell High senior Jeff Kuhn is now representing the Dolphin Club as well as City College breast stroker Chuck Greninger.

The last major swim meet of the year on the schedule was the Far Western Championships held at Fleischacher Pool. Greg Mahoney, diving in the 13-14 age group placed third which was remarkable as he has been diving just about nine months. Greg also placed third at the Junior Olympics in Redding during the summer.

Pete Levesque placed eighth in the Junior Olympics in Redding competing in the 11-12 age group 55 yard breast stroke with a time of 45:6. In the Far Westerns he brought his time down to 43:0 swimming 50 meters. The 11-12 free style relay team consisting of: Steve Gore, Randy Schiller, Pete Levesque and Roger Kalnin placed sixth with a time of 2:31:3.

Competing in the 6 yrs. and under class, Mike Gore placed 5th in the 20 yd. freestyle at the Santa Clara Valley Swimming Championships. In August, Mike won the Peninsula Swimming Leagues' 6 and under 15 yard Freestyle Championship with a time of 10:1. Other outstanding swimmers showing recent improvement are Guy Quist, Gary Nelson and Scott McBride in the 10 and under class.



LIFE MEMBER BOOSTERS

Virgil Anderson	Swimmer	Joined 1930
Don Baggiani	Past President	Joined 1935
Frank Bordenave	Handball Player	Joined 1910
Russ Channing	Handball Player	Joined 1929
Emile Cicerone	Past President	Joined 1928
John DeMartini	Oarsman	Joined 1928
Herb Derham	Past President	Joined 1914
Andy Demo	Past President	Joined 1927
Mike Desmond	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1936
Ed Dollard	Past President	Joined 1929
Andy Dunne	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
James C. Flannery	Swimmer	Joined 1925
Syd Foster	Gate Champion	Joined 1913
Hector Giuntini	Oarsman	Joined 1909
Dick Harms	Handball Player	Joined 1920
Lawton Hughes	Past President	Joined 1919
Marcus Hein	Oarsman	Joined 1919
Dino Landucci, Sr.	Oarsman	Joined 1935
Gino Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1932
Peter Lucchesi	Handball Player	Joined 1931
Ralph Mackay	Swimmer	Joined 1910
K. H. "Mac" McIsaac	Oarsman	Joined 1929
Bill Mahood	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1936
Ted Monell	Past President	Joined 1920
Robert Oakley	Oarsman	Joined 1933
Tim O'Shea	Club Director	Joined 1930
Cliff Quist	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1935
Romeo Rocca	Handball Player	Joined 1909
Paul Silvester	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1930
Wally Smith	Swimmer	Joined 1917
Bud Sterling	Past President	Joined 1916
Jake Toschi	Handball Player	Joined 1928
Tom Troneum	Rowing Coach	Joined 1923
Dr. A. W. Ward	Oarsman	Joined 1904
Jerome White	Oarsman	Joined 1909

REGULAR MEMBER BOOSTERS

Arthur Cardenas	Swimmer	Joined 1945
Ed deCossio	Rower	Joined 1955
Roland Demarais	Past President	Joined 1946
Ken Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1956
Phil Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Roger Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1954
Steve J. Gaal	Past President	Joined 1953
Dr. Steve Gaal	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1953
Howard Hall	Handball Player	Joined 1959
Dr. Fred S. Howard	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Bob Johnson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1955
Don Kane	Gate Champion	Joined 1953
Joe Mares	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1947
Emilio Massucco	Beachcomber	Joined 1948
Frank Mennucci	Past President	Joined 1940
Robert G. Nielson	Oarsman	Joined 1947
Sal Sancimino	Swimmer	Joined 1961
Walt Schneebeli	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1948
Zach Stewart	Rower	Joined 1961
Albert Swanson	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1959
Scotty Tarantino	Handball Player	Joined 1946
Voldi Walter	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1957
Joe Weiss	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1944
Chet P. Wing	Gate Swimmer	Joined 1952

- FRIENDS -

VIRGINIA RYBICKI

BE A DOLPHIN BOOSTER - \$5.00 per year

TROPHIES

from one of America's finest selections

GRANAT BROS

Grant Avenue at Geary . San Francisco

MA 1-5438

NOBRO NOVELTY

DISTRIBUTERS OF COIN OPERATED MACHINES
JUKE BOXES - PINBALL GAMES - SHUFFLE
ALLEY & BOARDS - BOWLERS - POOL TABLES
JUKE BOXES RENTED FOR PARTIES, BANQUETS, ETC.

CARL & JOE NOTO

142 DORE STREET

Buena vista cafe

2765 hyde street
san francisco, cal.
Graystone 4-5044

AUGUST (GUS) PERLITE

408 COLUMBUS AVENUE

REAL ESTATE

Auto and All Types of Insurance

SUtter 1-5240 SUtter 1-5876

Residence, ORdway 3-7450

DOLPHIN SWIMMING & BOATING CLUB

502 Jefferson Street
San Francisco, California

LEO

VINCE

JACK



957 Columbus Ave

PRospect 5-9860

Modern House

Furniture

"All-American" Hector Stephens
UNderhill 1-0988

3265 SIXTEENTH STREET • NEAR DOLORES

CARDINAL ELECTRIC CO.

Everything Electrical for the Home

S.J. GAAL, JR.
JUNIPER 4-4668

199 BROAD STREET
SAN FRANCISCO 28, CALIF.

E MENNUCCI & SONS

Fancy & Imported Groceries

Wine & Liquors

1701 Greenwich

ORDway 3-6056

BULK RATE
U. S. POSTAGE
PAID

San Francisco, Calif.
PERMIT NO. 5127

William Walter Schneebeli
2265-9th Ave.
San Francisco, Calif.